*Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse*

ARCADIA WOMAN'S CLUBHOUSE
Located on South First avenue, corner Diamond street, is the mecca for gatherings and social functions for members of the club.

## THE THIRTY-THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF ARCADIA

Arcadia passes the thirty-third mile stone in its history this month. Although there were a number of residents in the city prior to the settlement of surrounding cities, Arcadia was incorporated August 4, 1903. The early history of Arcadia is just as thrilling, romantic and interesting as any of her sister cities.

While circumstances prevent an elaborate portrayal of early pioneer life of the city, only efforts will be made to depict some of the outstanding achievements of the past, and reveal the present status of Arcadia in this edition.

The anniversary, coming at a time in the year, when the schools are closed and a large number of our citizenry are away on vacations or visiting relatives, makes a city-wide observance of the event impossible.

California
Highways

ARCADIA, CALIF.

**Altitude, 470 feet.**
**Incorporated in 1903.**
**Population 7,000.**
**Incorporated area, 12 Square Miles**
**Average Rainfall, 14 inches.**

*Duarte Road Lined With Beautiful Shade Trees*

ONE OF THE OLDEST THOROUGHFARES IN THE SOUTHLAND

Duarte Road has the distinction of being trod by the early padres and Indians on their way to the Spanish Mission in San Gabriel. The old trail, from Azusa, continued west to about the point where the Tower Basket and Pottery Shoppe in Duarte is now located, and then turned southwest to connect with Duarte Road, from thence it led to San Gabriel.

## CLUB LEADERS GATHER AT BEACH

Mmes. W. D. James of Hanford, State president California Federation of Women's Clubs; Will Lee Austin, Los Angeles district president, and Mrs. George Hines, president of Santa Monica Bay Women's Club, were noteworthy guests at the Bay club reciprocity luncheon when Mrs. James addressed women from all parts of the district.

## CLOSES YEAR

Mrs. Ella May Byrne, who in June retired as president of the Arcadia Woman's Club. Mrs. Byrne graciously led the club through one of its most prosperous years, and will be ever beloved in the hearts of its' members.

## Chairman

Mrs. Charles Willey, who is general chairman of a series of card parties to start Wednesday afternoon, with a dessert bridge at the Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse.

## PRESIDENT

Mrs. G. G. Meade, who as president presided today over the first luncheon meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club for the 1936-37 season. Today Mrs.. Meade began her third year as leader of the club, having served a two-year term as president in 1931 and 1932.

## CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Carl Randolph, fiirst district P. T. A. Home Reading Chairman, who has accomplished much toward promoting a greater appreciation of good books and good reading in the home, and is considered an authority on children's reading.

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# NEW OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

## Lovely Ceremonies Mark Meeting Yesterday As Last For This Season

The last session of the Arcadia Woman's club, held yesterday, proved a grand finale to a year of constant loving service, given by the president, Mrs. Ella May Byrne, through stress of illneess and death of loved ones. Each report from members of her board was testimony to her example of patient effort, whatever the circumstances.

In appreciative acknowledgment to each, she presented each with a lovely corsage, and paid tribute to their work. After this ceremonial, during which Mrs. Florence Gale Anderson played softly on the violin, Mrs. Byrne sang, "I Love You Truly" having transposed the words to fit the occasion. She stood in the midst of a semi-circle, made by the board members, all gowned in soft pastel colors—she in pale blue lace, making a lovely picture, not easily forgotten. Following the song, came members of the past presidents club, joined by ropes of fern, led by Mrs. Nellie White, who placed a lei of pink carnations and fern about Mrs. Byrne's neck, with an added tribute of appreciation. Mrs. Jessie Stewart, president of the group, followed with a welcome into the past presidents club, and Mrs. Nell Schrader presented the club's gift to Mrs. Byrne, a basket of pink gladiolius—followed by another floral tribute from Mrs. Parker. The entire group then followed the retiring president from the beautifully decorated stage, to make way for the installation of officers.

Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson, former president of the Los Angeles District, C. F. W. C., was installing officer, and paid tribute to the Federation of cooperative women throughout the world, numbering about four million, banded together for the good of the Nation, and suggested further effort along home, community and national lines.

Her charge to the incoming officials was stimulating and gracious, and Mrs. Meade's response and message to the club was indicative of another forward step in the club's march. She presented each member of the incoming board with a vase of flowers from her own garden. Officers for the coming year are: Mrs. G. G. Meade, president; Mrs. J. A .Renshaw, first vice; Mrs. Keith Beanson, second vice; Mrs. E. Harpole, recording secretary; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Federation secretary; Mrs. Mark Milspaugh, treasurer; Mrs. Wood Glover, program chairman; directors—Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

A short program of music followed, with Miss Norma Parks, violinist, playing several lovely numbers,

## Installed

Mrs. G. G. Meade, who, at yesterday's meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club, was installed as president for the coming year. Mrs. Meade served in this office in a 2-year term, 1930-1932, during which time the present clubhouse was built.

## Woman's Club Sections Enjoy Picnic Yesterday

Members of the Literature and Garden Sections of the Arcadia Woman's Club met yesterday with the California History and Landmarks section, for a picnic luncheon at the Timerhoff home on Genoa street.

A delicious luncheon was served in the oak arbor, attractively decorated with bright rugs and table cloths, to approximately 25.

During the afternoon, all grouped under the walnut trees and enjoyed a session of conversation, followed by resumes of the past year's work. Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. J. M. McFarlane, Mrs. Hoagland and Mrs. Timerhoff all told of interesting historical facts learned during that time.

During the next club year, the California History and Landmarks section will read the book on Lucky Baldwin's life and will make several trips to the local Pony Express Museum, to gain historical facts.

## Mrs. Meade and Mrs. Glover Attend Conference

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, and Mrs. Good Glover, program chairman, attended th e program conference held yesterday morning at district federation headquarters in Los Angeles.

The object of the meeting was the presentation of an audition, in which many talented artists appeared in vocal and instrumental music, lectures, dialogue and most every type of s age entertainment. Club delegates from all over the district were privileged to pick from the selection of artists, for their programs for the coming year.

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# BOARD HOLDS INITIAL MEET

## President Meets With Board Of Woman's Club To Plan For Coming Year

The Board of Directors of the Arcadia Woman's club met yesterday with the newly-installed president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, at the clubhouse, with all members in attendance.

After disposing of many important items of business, plans for the coming year's activities were discussed. The dessert bridge party to be held on June 17, at Sylvania, home of Mrs. E. Timerhoff on Genoa street, was an interesting item of discussion. The party is to be a benefit for the Clubhouse fund and the public is cordially invited to attend. Appropriate prizes will be given and a delicious dessert will be served at a nominal fee of 25 cents for dessert and cards. Mrs. Ella Baughman is in charge of dessert and Mrs. Lucian Alexander, cards.

The third Wednesday of each month at 10:30 A. M. was set for the regular meeting time of the Board, to be held at the clubhouse, and a benefit affair was planned for the latter part of July.

Mrs. Meade submitted the following names for the chairmanship of standing committees: Mrs. Albert Angus, door committee; Mrs. John Granville, Decoration; Mrs. Charles Warner, social; Mrs. C. F. Noack, Membership; Mrs. James Stoker, courtesy. Department chairman are as follows: California History and Landmarks, Mrs. E .Timerhoff; Conservation, Mrs. Harry Pike; Indian Welfare, Mrs. George Andrews; Motion Pictures, Mrs. Charles Willey; Music, Mrs. M. M. Trew, and Parliamentarian, Mrs. Ardene Boller.

At the close of the business meeting, the Board journeyed to the home of Mrs. E. Timerhoff and joined the picnic and party there...

Thursday, May 7, 1

# WOMANS CLUB IN MEETING

## "Mothers and Daughters" Da Theme Of Luncheon At Club Yesterday

With the clubhouse literally a bower of spring blossoms, and guests and members of the Arcadia Woman's Club appearing in attractive spring ensembles, another entertaining and beneficial afternoon was enjoyed by all those atteding the "Mothers and Daughters Da luncheon yesterday. The luncheon was planned by Mrs. Katherine Fisher and Mrs. Harriet Barngrover, and the beautiful arrangement of pink roses and showers of colorful spring flowers was furnished through the decoration committee composed of Mrs. Lulu Reynolds Mrs. Hulda Parker and Mrs. Noack

Assisting Mrs. Barngrover and Mrs. Fisher with the luncheon were Mesdames Hall, Cox, Spence Gramm, Pandjiris, Schermerhorn and Millspaugh.

During the luncheon hour, Mrs Ella May Byrne introduced honored guests, including officers and members of the Arcadia Parent-Teacher Association, and Miss Eloise Hafford of the Ruth Home for Girls, who gave an intensely interesting talk on "conditions existing socially today among our children."

Mrs. Pethybridge, houseguest of Mrs. E. Timerhoff, was a guest at the luncheon.

During the afternoon business session, the nominating committee the following new officers were elected: Mrs. Emma D. Meade president; Mrs. Juliet Renshaw first vice president; Mrs. Heinton Beanston, second vice president Mrs. Ruth Harpole, recording secretary; Mrs. Lulu Reynolds, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Mae Chambers, federation secretary Mrs. Ina Millspaugh, treasurer Mrs. Fanny B. Needham, director and Mrs. May Glover, program chairman.

Mrs. Nellie White offered plans for a community party to be given on May 21, to which all Arcadians will be invited. Features of the

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# CLUB YEAR IS SUCCESS

## Mrs. Byrne Closes Prosperous Year As President Of Woman's Club for '35-36

Mrs. Ella May Byrne, as president of the Arcadia Woman's Club for the past year, with her enthusiastic board members and chairman of the various departments, has guided the club through a year of successful activities, beneficial to the organization—to the city of Arcadia and to each and every individual who took part.

Through the departments of Federation Extension, programs, parliamentary law, handcrafts, garden, conservations, California History and landmarks, literature and business and professional law, the club has been in close and educational contact with the district federation—and too much credit cannot be given to the local chairmen of these departments for the work they have done.

Nineteen new members have been added to the roll of the club, many of them due to work of an ambitious membership committee. All financial obligations have been promptly met and the principal on the club building debt has been reduced to a balance of $1,600. Gifts of money from several members have been greatly appreciated, and numberless members have made as valuable gifts of service and talent to the club needs.

In October, a table setting contest in which many larger clubs participated, was won, the prize being $15 cash. At Christmas time the club met generously the local welfare requirements and contributed over 200 gift boxes to less fortunate residents of Rancho Los Amigos, with many members witnessing the presentation at the Rancho. $25 was subscribed to the Federation Building fund and $5 to the Will Rogers Memorial fund.

At each meeting during the year special guests were present, and recognition was given to other organizations of Arcadia, through the attendance of official leaders of each, at luncheon sessions. Members of the Rotary club, city councilmen, directors of the chamber of commerce, P. E. O. members, faculty members of the high and grammar schools, and members of the newspaper fraternity have all been received as guests.

Many prominent entertainers appeared on the programs, with a great variety of musical artists and speakers on altruistic, conservative and international subjects being introduced. At one meeting, members enjoyed impressions of China, with native music and folklore; another told of the real people of Africa and descriptions of the Flora and Fauna of that continent were most interesting. New Zealand was the interesting topic at one meeting, and at still another, informative talks on the inside workings of the county sheriff's office and the conduct of the jail and treatment of the prisoners, was heard.

The Christmas program, one of the year's best, was a beautiful and soul-stirring pageant of the women of the Bible, who sang Christmas Carols. Lively numbers of singing, dancing, poetry and dramatic talent—many contributed by club members and other community residents, were enjoyed at various meetings.

The Woman's Club, always a leader in community affairs, has been especially active during the past season, and a very fine spirit of helpful co-operation has been enjoyed by all active members of the different local organizations. The club was represented in the Armistice Day parade and took an active part in the ground-breaking ceremonies for the historic beginning of Ross Field as a new county park; had a major part in sponsoring the idea of planting flowering peach trees in the city, and actually planted a number throughout the community, club and school grounds. For the latter, the trees were a gift from the club, and an impressive afternoon ceremony, with school children taking part, was held on Arbor Day, when the trees were planted and dedicated to historic characters.

Twenty members spent an instructive day visiting the city and county courts in Los Angeles, with an enjoyable luncheon at the La Golondrina on Olvera street.

Eight past presidents are active members of the club, and on January 15, some of these sidelines announced they had organized as a past presidents group and would stand in readiness to serve the club as opportunity developed the need. The club rooms have been beautified each session with flowers arranged by the decorating committee, and the club grounds owe most of their beauty to conscientious work of the garden section.

The loyal workers who have helped with luncheons and extra family evening dinners have materially aided the financial success of the club year. Without a doubt, the most unique event was the recent "Family Supper under Petticoat Rule," being a special complimentary gesture to the retiring president and a financial success which added $63 to the treasury. Husbands served the dinner and washed the dishes.

In speaking for every member of the club, Mrs. Nellie Pickard, historian, states: "As we enter another year, let us pledge anew our loyalty to our club and realize sincerely what we have learned by the past—that club federation and cooperation is woman's opportunity for broader education, to teach her the value of her power and thereby give her the judgment to use that power wisely as a good citizen."

## Club Women to Emphasize Civic Ideas This Year

Informed citizenship is to be stressed in Los Angeles County Federation of Women's Clubs this year through regional round tables to be held the first Monday of each month and through quarterly Presidents' councils.

"Speakers will be persons who know," says Mrs. Frank C. Owens, president, in a letter to club presidents," and the discussions will be interesting. Time will be given for questions and answe-

## Board Members Assemble At Byrne Home For Party

Spring flowers, tall pale green candle tapers and dainty nut cups carried out in the pastel shades, made charming appointments for the luncheon given by Mrs. Ella May Byrne, retiring president of the Arcadia Woman's club, honoring members of her board, the affair took place at the Byrne home on South Santa Anita drive Friday, May 29th.

After a delicious 12:30 luncheon, a short business meeting was called to order by the president, after which a social time was enjoyed.

Board members present included: Mrs. Nell Shrader, first vice-president; Mrs. Hermione Beanston, second vice-president; Mrs. Fannie Needham, recording secretary; Mrs. Laura Hostutler, corresponding secretary; Mrs. May Glover, Federation secretary; Mrs. Alice Miller, treasurer; Mrs. E. Timerhoff, program chairman; Mrs. Nellie Pickard, historian; Mrs. Nellie White, parliamentarian; Mrs. Bertha Larsh, Mrs. Emma Meade and Mrs. Marie Chambers, directors.

## New Club President Will Meet With Executive Board

Mrs. G. G. Meade will meet with her board members in the first session, tmoorrow, when they gather at her home on South Second avenue.

A picnic luncheon will be enjoyed at noon.

## History And Landmarks Section To Have Picnic On 10th

The History and Landmarks section of the Arcadia Woman's Club will hold a covered dish luncheon in the oak arbor of the E. Timerhoff home on Genoa street.

The Garden and Literature sections are especially invited, as well as anyone in the community interested in history.

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# WILL SPONSOR BRIDGE PARTY

## Mrs. Meade To Preside Over First Party At Dessert Bridge June 17

Mrs. G. G. Meade, newly installed president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, will preside over her first social function on June 17, when a benefit dessert bridge party will be held in the Sylvania grounds at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Timerhoff at 321 Genoa street.

The affair is being given for the benefit of the club, and promises to be quite delightful. Mrs. Ella Baughman is in charge of the dessert arrangements and Mrs. Lucian Alexander and her aides are in charge of cards. Reservation, at 25 cents, may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Timerhoff at 2593 or Mrs. Mark Millspaugh at 2890. Dessert will be served promptly at 12:30.

## Mrs. Emma Meade and Mrs. May Glover Attend Conference

Mrs. Emma D. Meade, president of the Woman's club, and Mrs. May Glover, program chairman, motored to Los Angeles Wednesday morning to attend the first of a series of summer conferences of the Program Department of the Los Angeles District of Federated Clubs. These programs are being sponsored for the purpose of giving to the clubs an opportunity of hearing the artists and speakers available for club programs. A noon recess was taken for luncheon and the audition continued during the afternoon. Much interest was manifested by the unusually large crowd of club women in attendance. The auditorium of headquarters was completely filled, as well as the balcony.

Mrs. Meade announces plans are going forward for an interesting year in the local club. The club has given and will continue to give

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publicans have filed nomination pa
pers for the state assembly in this
district. They are.

**Democratic**

Frank L. Baynham, 2150 North
San Antonio avenue, Pomona.
Charles P. Speer, 340 East Ra-
mona Boulevard, Baldwin Park.

**Republican**

Herbert J. Evans, 234 North Can-
con Boulevard, Monrovia.
Lee T. Bashore, 205 Live Oak
avenue, Glendora.
Donald P. Nichols, 1615 Syca-
more Place, Pomona.

## *Arcadia Woman's Club, One of Most Active Organizations in City, Organized May 19, 1914; Membership Now of More Than 150*

The Woman's Club of Aracdia, which has been instrumental in much of the upbuilding of the city, both in cultural lines and in more practical ways, had its start May 19, 1914.

At that time a little band of fourteen women met at the home of Mrs. Charles Billings, who now lives in Santa Monica, and decided to form a club under the name of "Co-operative Arcadians." Charter members included Mrs. Emma Glass, Mrs. Charles Billings, Mrs. Mary Sumwalt, Mrs. Constance Millard, (deceased). Mrs. Grimes (deceased), Mrs. Hulda Parker (deceased), Mrs. Brussels (deceased), and the following who still live in Arcadia: Mrs. James Stoker, Mrs. A. L. Parker, Mrs. R. V. Senior, Mrs. Edward Clayborn, Mrs. H. M. Roth, and Mrs Frank McCoy.

In January, 1920, the name of the club was changed to "Woman's Club of Arcadia" and the club was admitted to the State Federation. In 1924 it was admitted to the General Federation.

When the club was first formed and meetings were held at the homes of members, the activities were largely social, dances, dinners and parties. Later more serious work was taken up with study classes and philanthropic movements. Before there was a city library here, a collection of books was secured by the club women and a small library was maintined and housed. When the library became a county branch, the club women continued to give their support.

As the club grew and a larger meeting hall was needed instead of in the private homes, the city trustees offered the women the use of the City Hall free, and here they met from 1918 until the erection of the clubhouse in 1931.

However, the idea of their own club home was the ambition of the club women and a club house fund was started in 1921. Money was raised in various ways by the women and a lot on First Avenue at Diamond Street was purchased for $1800.

Ground for the new club house was broken May 4, 1931 and July 30 of that year the new club home was dedicated. C. P. Cassidy was ginning of the club are: Mrs. Alice Billings, Mrs. Madge Clover, Mrs. Constance Millard, Mrs. Grace Newhall, Mrs. Hulda Parker, Mrs. Maye S. Dunham, Mrs. Nellie Pickard, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. Bertha Hawk Lewis, Mrs. Mattie Peck, Mrs. Emma D. Meade, Mrs. Marion Pike, Mrs. Jessie Stewart, Mrs. Ella May Byrne, Mrs. Emma D. Meade.

The officers of the club now are: President, Mrs. Emma D. Meade; vice president, Mrs. Julia Renshaw; second vice president, Mrs. Hermoine Beanston; recording secretary, Mrs. Ruth Harpole; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lulu Reynolds; Federation secretary, Mrs. Marie Chambers; treasurer, Mrs. Ina Millspaugh; program chairman, Mrs. May Glover; directors, Mrs. Bertha Larsh, Mrs. Fannie Needham, Mrs. Olive Hoffman.

# WOMEN'S GROUP TO INSTALL OFFICERS

New officers for the Southern District of California Federation of Women's Clubs will be installed in La Jolla next May. They were elected without opposition yesterday at the closing session of a three-day meeting at Palm Springs.

Mrs. David Frasier of San Diego is new president of the Southern district; Mrs. George Foster of San Diego, vice president; Mrs. C. M. Diehl of Orange county, treasurer, and Miss Ida Fenton of Riverside, auditor.

Following the election, Mrs. John Stewart of Hemet, retiring president, was honored at a tea.

## *County Federation of Woman's Clubs to Discuss Two Tax Measures to Launch Club Season; Give Both Sides a Chance*

Los Angeles Cointy Federation of Women's Clubs will launch its 1936-37 season with a discussion of two important tax measures—the repeal of the sales tax and the chain store tax.

The State Federation of Women's Clubs has already gone on record against repeal of the sales tax, but at the county round table Aug. 31, Hal Ryerson will speak against the measure and Rube Borough will speak for it. Speakers on chain store tax have not yet been selected. Mrs. Verdella Brown, county chairman of legislation, will present the speakers.

Mrs. Frank C. Owens, county president, announces that the club education program at the morning session will present Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president, as one of the speakers.

Mrs. Austin will be interviewed by Mrs. Anne Meservey, chairman of club education, on "The Duties and Responsibilities of a Club Personnel Toward Its Officials." Ten minutes will be allowed for questions.

Mrs. Meservey will also present Mrs. Pauline Ferguson, vice-president-at-large fo the California Federation of Music Clubs, who will speak on the work of her group, and Elmer Lewis, Junior college student, giving the oration which won him a prize in the Festival of Allied Arts.

Mrs. Bessie Edouart, president of the Club of Good Cheer, which is to be hostess to the meeting, will tell of the work of her club, which carries out a program of philanthropy without exacting dues from its members.

Another county event will be the annual "get-together" of the executive board and their committees, to be held Aug. 24 at 2600 Wilshire boulevard. After luncheon the guests will all be introduced, and the new music chairman, Ina Gerry Mountjoy, will present a musical program.

The new year book, compiled by Mrs. Raymond O. Catland, shows eight new clubs on the roster, in addition to the hostess club. There is the Neighborhood Music School, Arroyo Vista Welfare Club, Artesia Woman's Club, North Whittier Heights, Ramona Club and the Sierra Madre Woman's Club.

Child welfare, motion picture, program and highway safety divisions have been added to the club's activities.

## District Board Annual Luncheon to be Held Aug. 28

Women can establish friendly relations at the outset, they are fairly certain to maintain harmony in the carrying out of a project, believes Mrs. Will Lee Austin, president of Los Angeles district, C.F.W.C.

Because of her faith in the efficacy of friendliness as a basis of practical understanding Mrs. Austin has secured the sanction of the district board to an innovation this fall.

Friday, Aug. 28, there is to be given the annual luncheon for the district board chairmen and their committee women in the gardens of Mrs. George D. Chambers, 606 South Winsor boulevard.

The affair is to be entirely social, announces Mrs. Austin reiterating what she said regarding this party at an earlier date in the summer.

"We have to have many representatives from the other counties and we should therefore be certain proper time is given them all to be introduced and to meet others attending," she explains.

"Instead of the usual luncheon this will be more of a brunch beginning at 11 a. m. It is to be very informal and introductions are the order of the day. "Hitherto," states Mrs. Austin, "this first gathering of the season held early in September has been divided into a business and social session. But business was hurried and social features were cut short because of the lateness of the hour.

"Such a plan was scarcely fair to those who came from a distance or those obliged to leave in the middle of the afternoon for any reason.

"The new plan, I hope, will prevent that situation recurring. Reservations for the brunch party close August 26.

"A luncheon meeting to discuss the business of the district will be held the first Friday in September," she adds, "and there will be plenty of time to discuss and act upon all matters requiring attention.

Mrs. Austin called the builder president by her many friends. First and foremost she has succeeded in building harmony into relations between the outside counties and Los Angeles county.

This has been largely accomplished through her willingness to share district officers and chairmen with these outlying groups whenever the latter asked to have them as speakers.

She has also unstintingly responded to invitations to the various counties to attend their conventions and conferences. Each time she has taken with her a car full of district chairmen.

Mrs. Austin has also been a builder in the common sense of the word. District headquarters has been enlarged and improved during the first year of her regime. Recently the kitchen and offices were made spic-and-span with the aid of paint and varnish.

# CLUB HISTORY IS DISCUSSED

## Local Woman's Club Continues To Lead Civic Affairs; Organized In 1914

A far cry from the present social gatherings of the Arcadia Woman's Club, but with the same object in mind . . . that of promoting the progress of women's activities in service to the community . . . a band of fourteen earnest women met at the home of an Arcadian on May 19, 1914.

Those in this first organization, called themselves the "Cooperative Arcadians," and selected the pink carnation as the official flower . . . pink and green as club colors . . . the same still in use in club meetings.

During the first years, the meetings were held in the home of various members; later halls were rented, and in 1918, in recognition of assistance rendered to the city trustees in the difficult work of erecting a city hall, the club was granted the use of the building for their sessions. Marvelous projects were accomplished by the small band . . . Red Cross work during war times . . . the establishment of the city's first library on a permanent basis and the obtaining of a librarian . . . the erecting of a picturesque cobble stone drinking fountain at old Huntington drive and Santa Anita . . . given to the city at an impressive ceremony on June 9, 1917.

By 1920, the club had grown in membership and strength, and due to a desire to expand beyond the local boundary line, membership was acquired in the State Federation, and the name of "Woman's Club of Arcadia," adopted. In 1924, the club became affiliated with the General Federation.

In years that followed with rapid succession, Christmas celebrations . . . flower shows . . . were held, and various sections were added. The club has aided in welfare work, and has proved of great assistance to the local Thrift Shop.

During Mrs. Mattie B. Peck's term of office as president, 1929-30, plans for a club home were diligently worked over, and in the fall of 1931, the first meetings were held in the Spanish type clubhouse, built during Mrs. G. G. Meade's presidency. At the present time, the club building and grounds offer one of the loveliest spots in Arcadia.

Mrs. G. G. Meade, who will serve her third year as president of the club, is looking forward to another banner year in club activities, and with her board of directors to help, has made extensive plans to further the work of the organization . . . keeping it ever one of the outstanding organizations of the community . . . a leader in civic enterprises.

By CAROLINE WALKER

Despite the fact that the name of Mrs. David Unruh of Covina was placed on a ticket for vice president of the Los Angeles County Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Unruh states today that she has no intention of running for that or any other office.

Mrs. Unruh was approached to run for the presidency, which she declined, and declares her name was put forth as a vice presidential candidate without consulting her.

Mrs. Robert P. Holmes also writes stating that she will not be a candidate for recording secretary.

That leaves the lineup with Mrs. Lilly B. Peterson, in harness again after her illness, and Mrs. Robert White as presidential candidates; Mrs. Elwood K. Lightholder as the only candidate for vice president, and Mrs. C. R. Bras as candidate for recording secretary.

Mrs. Harry Willits has been endorsed for county treasurer and Mrs. Raymond Catland for county auditor. Mrs. Clarence Williams and Mrs. B. B. Stakemiller have also been mentioned for those two offices, but their official endorsements have not yet been announced.

The federation held its first round table of the new year at Eagle Rock Twentieth Century Club, with Mrs. Hugh H. Clark, the president, and Mrs. George Henderson, chairman of Region No. 4, as hostesses.

Mrs. G. R. Graham, chairman of institutions and philanthropy, suggested that clubwomen carry Christmas out to Los Amigos rancho every day in the year instead of reserving it for Dec. 25.

"Many of those old folk have no friends or relatives," she said. "Why not adopt one, remembering her birthday taking her a gift now and then of stamps and stationery and otherwise making happy the evening of her life?"

During Mrs. Ann Meservey's club education hour Mrs. Carl A. Plath outlined the duties of a treasurer as not only business-like accuracy, neatness and dispatch, but also observing the ethics of being courteous and thorough.

"A club treasurer should be under bond, and she should count every bit of money she receives in the presence of the person paying it, and give for it a receipt of which she keeps a duplicate," said Mrs. Plath. "Some organizations pay their treasurer, and if any officer deserves pay, it is she, but such a step must depend on the individual club."

Mrs. W. W. Wilkinson, courtesy chairman, declared that courtesy is nothing more than kindness and the practical application of the golden rule. Elinor Marlo, second vice president of the California Federation of Music, told how her organization stimulates youthful study and public interest by biennial contests for gifted young people.

Mrs. Marlo urged clubwomen to scan carefully radio contests put on by commercial sponsors, lest young people be exploited to provide radio programs for which they were not paid.

Mrs. Harry E. Willits, radio chairman, presented a replica of one of the weekly broadcasts which her department puts on over KFAC, with Dawn O'Day and Mrs. R. B. Pettijohn as the singers, Mrs. Leola Summerhays reading two short plays and Mrs. Arthur Graham speaking briefly of the bulbs to which home gardeners' attention turns when the rains come.

# SECTION HAS FINAL MEETING

## Mrs. Verona Young Elected To Chairmanship of Garden Section Yesterday

Ten members of the garden section of the Arcadia Woman's Club met at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, in the garden at the home of Mrs. F. H. White, 437 W. Duarte road.

Election of officers for the coming year was held during the business meeting, with Miss Grace McCurdy presiding. Mrs. Verona Young was elected chairman, and Mrs. C. F. Noack, secretary. Miss McCurdy has served as chairman of the enthusiastic group for the past three years, and held a two-year term in that office previously. She was also secretary for three years.

It is through the untiring efforts of the garden section that the clubhouse grounds have been beautified, and many regular meetings of the clubwomen have been made lovelier by a pageant or floral display by the section's members.

Yesterday's meeting was the last until October, when the new officers will take up their duties and make plans for the coming year.

Those present yesterday were: Mrs. Larsh, Mrs. Rickett, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Kohler, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. White, Mrs. Brandt, Miss Emily Faulkner, Miss Thompson and Miss Grace McCurdy.

# Benefit Dessert Bridge Party Sponsored by Club Women

The first in a series of summer social functions, given by members of the Arcadia Woman's club, was the benefit dessert bridge party held Wednesday afternoon at "Sylvania," the home of Mrs. E. Timerhoff, on Genoa.

Approximately sixty attended and enjoyed playing cards under the shady oaks and walnut trees in the yard.

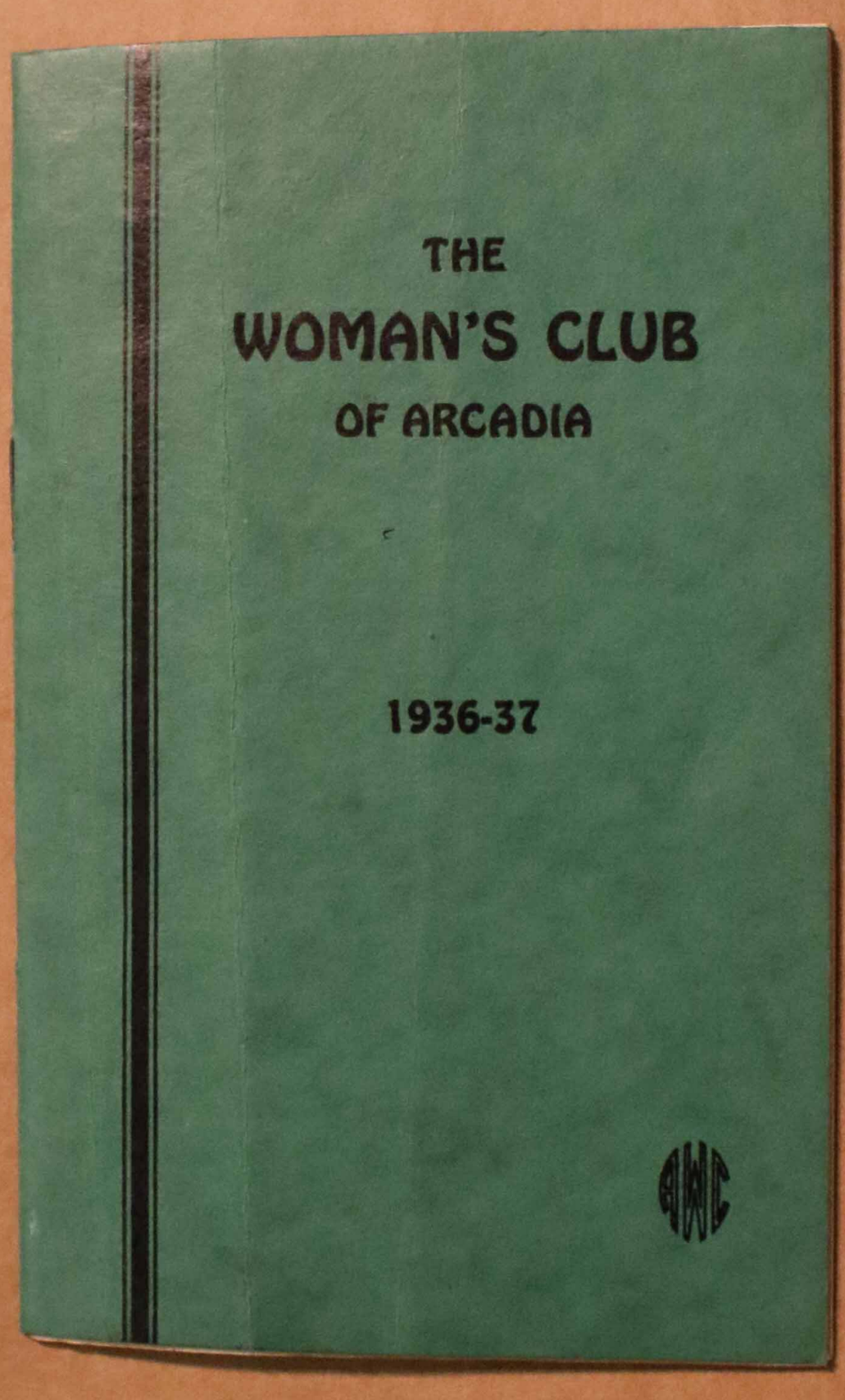
Prizes in Contract were awarded to Mrs. Blanche Garrison and Mrs. Lucian Alexander. In Auction, high score went to Mrs. G. Cook and W. G. Lewis. Mrs. Jessie McGrann won the door prize and Mrs. Charles E. Berry and Mr. Grant Pethybridge were the lucky winners of two delicious cakes.

Those donating cakes were: Mrs. S. V. Schermerhorn and daughter Elizabeth, Mrs. V. Pandjuris, Mrs. Robert Fisher, Mrs. J. Granvile, Mrs. Charles Warner, Mrs. Glen Watson, Mrs. H. W. Johns, Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. Grant Corby, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds and Mrs. C. F. Noack.

Members wish to express their appreciation to Frank M. Glasser, who so generously loaned card tables and chairs for the occasion, and to Nick Link, who aided in arranging the chairs and tables.

Mrs. G. G. Meade wishes to express her appreciation to Mrs. Ella Baughman, chairman; Mrs. Lucian Alexander, who was in charge of the card game, and especially Mrs. Timerhoff for the use of her lovely grounds and home.

Out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pethybridge of Hollywood and Mrs. E. Tate of Beverly Hills.


THE
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OF ARCADIA
1936-37

# MAKE PLANS FOR BENEFIT

## Committee Outline Gay Party Scheduled For Wednesday At Newell Home

According to an announcement made today by Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, plans are being comleted for the garden and bridge party, to be held next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. C. L. Newell at 443 LeRoy avenue.

Delicious ice cream, home made cakes and a cooling iced drink will be served promptly at 1 o'clock, and card games will follow. Lovely prizes are ready for the awarding to lucky winners at bridge, and a door prize will also be given. Games are to be arranged for those who do not play bridge, affording a good time to all attending.

Mrs. C. F. Noack and Mrs. William Elam are in charge of cards and Mrs. Newell, Mrs. G. H. Barngrover, Mrs. R. H. Pike, Mrs. J. H. Wheeler and Mrs. F. W. Miller, are planning the dessert.

Any member of the committee will take reservations and request as many as possible to call on or

## Lawn and Bridge Party to Be Midsummer Feature

Among the festivities planned for the summer months by the Woman's Club will be the lawn and bridge party to be held on July 22nd at the home of Mrs. C. L. Newell, 443 Le Roy avenue. This midsummer event will be open to the public and club members and their friends. Gentlemen also will be made welcome and are invited to come. The lawn at the Newell home is delightfully shady and an afternoon spent under the trees will be one of pleasure.

It is a lovely gesture from Mrs. Newel to offer her home for the benefit of the club and bespeaks her interest in the progress of the club, being a new member last year. It is to be anticipated that a large attendance will enjoy the hospitality of the Newell home.

The recent party held at the home of Mrs. Timerhoff was a marked success and it is hoped the response from the west side will be equally encouraging. So hold the date of July 22nd open for this event.

## Clubwomen Urged Not to be Misled Politicians

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## Past Presidents

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| Mrs. Alice Billings | Mrs. Bertha Hawk Lewis |
| Mrs. Madge Clover* | Mrs. Mattie Peck |
| Mrs. Constance Millard* | Mrs. Emma D. Meade |
| Mrs. Grace Newhall | Mrs. Marion Pike |
| Mrs. Hulda Parker* | Mrs. Jessie Stewart |
| Mrs. Nellie Pickard | Mrs. Ella M. Byrne |
| Mrs. Nellie White | |

## Federation Presidents

General Federation - Mrs. Roberta C. Lawson
State Federation - - - Mrs. W. D. James
District Federation - - Mrs. Will Lee Austin
County Federation - - Mrs. Frank C. Owen

## Presidents' Councils

Wednesday, September 30, 1936, Ebell Club, Long Beach.
Tuesday, November 10, 1936, Ebell, Huntington Park
Friday, January 15, 1937, Woman's Club, Westwood Hills
Wednesday, March 31, 1937, Woman's Club San Pedro.

## Presidents' Conferences at Headquarters

Thursday, October 29, 1936
Friday, December 11, 1936
Wednesday, February 17, 1937
Friday, May 28, 1937.
District Convention — April 20, 21, 22, 1937, Santa Monica.
State Convention — May 12, 13, 14, 1937, Coronado.
General Federation — April 27 to May 1, 1937, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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## inal Arrangements ade for Garden ridge Party

Members of the Woman's club e again planning another smart mmer social function which will in the form of a garden and idge party to be held at the me of Mrs. C. L. Newell of 443 e Roy avenue, Wednesday, July 2nd.

Wednesday afternoon the committee in charge met at the Newll home and completed plans for he affair. Prizes for the bridge ame and a door prize will be warded. Various games have een arranged for those who do ot care to play cards. Dessert f dainty cooling refreshments will e served at 1 o'clock. The lawn nd gardens of the Newell home e delightfully shady and an aftnoon spent under the trees will one of pleasure.

The committee would very much ppreciate if those desiring to atnd would phone resesvations in Tuesday to Mrs. Newell (2677), Mrs. Noack (2752).

A nominal charge of twenty-five nts will be mane.

Mrs. Nettie Noack and Mrs. ildred Elam will be in charge of e card game. Those serving on e committee are: Mrs. C. L. ewell, Mrs. C. F. Noack, Mrs. illiam R. Elam, Mrs. G. H. Barnover, Mrs. R. H. Pike, Mrs. J. . Wheeler and Mrs. F. W. Miller.

## Board of Directors Assemble for Meeting

Members of the board of directors of the Arcadia Woman's club met at the cubhouse on South First venue for their regular business meeting Wednesday, with Mrs. Emma Meade, president, presiding.

Mrs. May Glover, program chairman, reported progress on the formation of the year's programs. The financial statement, submitted by the treasurer, Mrs. Millspaugh, s in good condition. The matter of refinancing the clubhouse indebtedness which was recently reduced to $1600 was decided upon.

Mrs. Meade made the following ppointments: Mrs. Emma Kasal, chairman of civic welfare deartment; Mrs. Mary Roberts Moore, chairman of education; Mrs. Jessie Stewart, chairman of nternational relations, and Mrs. Rowena Dillingham, club hostess.

At the conclusion of the meeting uncheon was enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held ugust 19th.

Those present were: Mrs. Emma . Meade, Mrs. Bertha Larsh, Mrs. annie Needham, Mrs. Julia Renaw, Mrs. May Glover, Mrs. Hermoine Beanston and Mrs. Ina illspaugh. Other board members nable to be present are: Mrs. arie Chambers, Mrs. Olive Hoffan and Mrs. Rnth Harpole.

## Plans Disclosed for Hollywood Bowl Breakfast

Mrs. Emma Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's club, received a letter this week from Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president of the C.F.W.C., disclosing details of the Hollywood Bowl breakfast to be held Tuesday, July 28th, at 8 o'clock.

This affair is being sponsored by the Los Angeles district, with Mrs. Austin acting as guest chairman and Mrs. Frances E. Payne, co-chairman.

As only 450 reservations can be made, it is advisable for those desiring to attend to telephone or write Mrs. Payne, 1363 West Adams street, Los Angeles. Telephone RE-4226. Reservations if not used must be paid for.

The noted artist of the Bowl program for the week will be guest of honor. It is hoped that several members of the local club will be present at this outstanding affair.



## Woman's Club To Have Second Summer Bridge Party

Among festivities p'anned for the summer months by the Arcadia Woman's Club will be a gala lawn and b.idge party to be held on July 22 at the home of Mrs. G. L. Newell, 443 LeRoy avenue.

The lawn at the Newell home is delightfully cool and shady, and an afternoon spent under the trees promises to be one of pleasure. The event is to be open to the public, club members and their friends. Gentlemen will also be welcomed.

Mrs. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, expresses her appreciation to Mrs. Newell, one of the members, for her gesture, and anticipates a large attendance. The recent party held at the home of Mrs. E. Timerhoff was a marked success, and it is hoped the second affair will be equally successful.

## Royal Neighbors To Meet Friday At Woman's Club

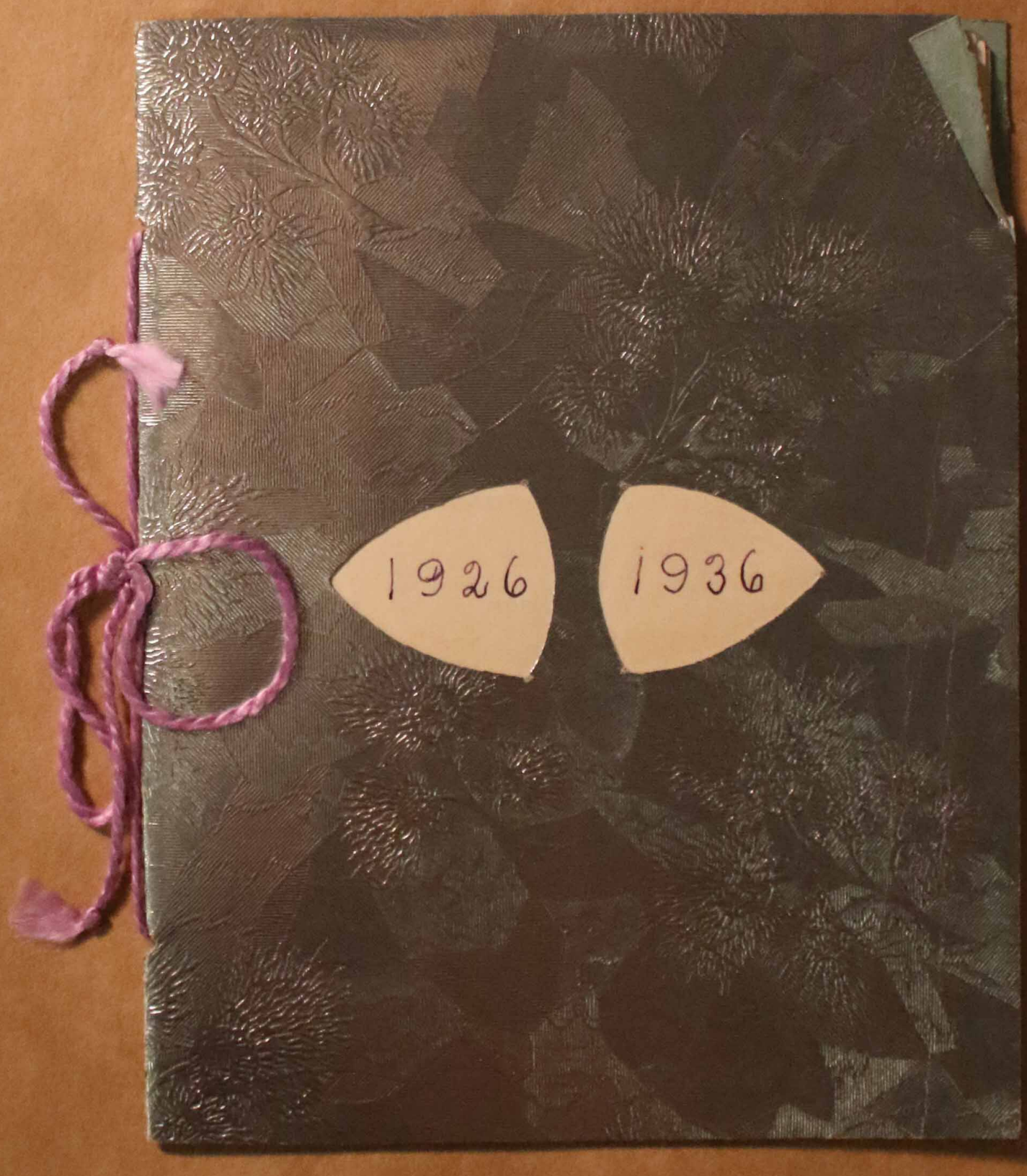
The regular meeting of the Arcadia Royal Neighbors is scheduled for tomorrow evening at the Woman's clubhouse.

Initiation of new members will occupy a prominent place on the program. Report from the auditing committee will be given and a social hour will follow.

## Plans Completed For Woman's Club Party Wednesday

All arrangements have been made for a delightful benefit dessert bridge party, to be sponsored by the Arcadia Woman's Club, given at the home of Mrs. C. L. Newell, 443 LeRoy avenue, on Wednesday afternoon.

Dessert will be served promptly at 1 o'clock, and games will follow. Members of the committee in charge are asking that reservations be made by tomorrow, with Mrs. C. F. Noack, Mrs. William Elam, Mrs. Newell, Mrs. Barngrover, Mrs. R. H. Pike, Mrs. J. H. Wheeler or Mrs. F. W. Miller.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# GARDEN FETE HUGE SUCCESS

## Fifty Attend Bridge Party At C. L. Newell Home Given By Woman's Club

Approximately 50 were in attendance at yesterday's dessert bridge party, sponsored by the Arcadia Woman's Club, and given at the home of Mrs. C. L. Newell, 443 Le Roy avenue.

At 1 o'clock, generous portions of ice cream and home made cake were served, with tall glasses of iced tea, at small tables placed about the shaded lawn. Each table was spread with a dainty cover, and centered with a bouquet of seasonal flowers in pastel shades.

First prize at auction was awarded to Mrs. Keith Beanston and second to Mrs. Ella Baughman. Major George Barngrover won first at auction and Mrs. Pittinger of Temple City, second. Little Mary Louise Trew was the lucky winner of the door prize . . . a lovely crystal relish plate, and Mrs. G. W. Reckard of Temple City was awarded a home made cake.

Those donating cakes were: Mesdames F. W. Miller, George Barngrover, William Elam, Roy Pike, Frank Hoagland and J. H. Wheeler. Mrs. C. F. Noack and Mrs. William Elam were in charge of cards, and the committee in charge of the party was composed of Mrs. Elam, Mrs. Noack, Mrs. Barngrover, Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Newell.

The president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, expresses her thanks to Mrs. Newell for the use of her delightful garden, to the committees for making the party such a success, and to the Temple Mortuary of Monrovia for the loan of tables and chairs.

## Directors Of Woman's Club To Meet July 15

Mrs. Emma D. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club announced today that the second meeting of her board of directors will be held on Wednesday, July 15, at the clubhouse.

With the session scheduled for 10:30 in the morning, a number of important items of business will be discussed and a round table talk on club affairs will occupy the time and interest of the directors.

Interest has been manifested in a new section for the club . . . a recreational department, featuring out-of-doors activities . . . which should appeal not only to club members but prospective club members. The meeting will be adjourned following a get-together luncheon.

## Federation Women's Clubs To Sponsor BBreakfast

In a letter received yesterday by Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, from Mrs. Will Lee Austin, president of Los Angeles District, C. F. W. C., announcement was made a Hollywood Bowl breakfast, to be sponsored by the federation on July 28. Outstanding Bowl artists of the week will be honored guests.

Only 450 reservations will be taken, and it is advisable that all desiring to attend contact Mrs. Francis E. Payne, co-chairman of the event, immediately. Reservations, at 52 cents each, must be paid for whether used or not. The breakfast is scheduled for 8 o'clock, and Mrs. Meade urges all local club members who can, to attend.

Mrs. Austin has been named guest chairman. Mrs. Payne's address is 1363 W. Adams and she may be reached by phoning RE 4226.

# CONTEST FOR NEW MEMBERS

## President Lists Contest Plans As Membership Committee Is Revealed

Adding to the ever increasing list of summer activities, planned for members of the Arcadia Woman's Club, Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, revealed today that at a recent meeting of the club's board of directors, it was voted to stage a friendly membership contest among the members.

To the member who brings in by her own efforts, the largest number of new members, a suitable award will be given, and a second prize, equally as attractive, will be given to the one bringing in the second largest number.

Names of all new members admitted previous to September 1 will be placed in the new year book for 1936-1937, according to Mrs. Meade's announcement, and application cards may be obtained from her or from any member of the membership committee.

Dues and initiation fees into the Arcadia Woman's Club are extremely reasonable, and newcomers of the community, as well as Arcadians who have never been affiliated with the club, will find it an organization of neighborly friendliness. The programs held twice monthly are instructive and of intellectual value. The various sections are open to all club members and the conferences and president's council of the district afford contacts in outlying territory.

Mrs. Meade has appointed the following to serve on her membership committee: Mrs. C. F. Noack, chairman, Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. W. A. Young, Mrs. N. McLagan and Mrs. Florence Muller.

# CLUB HEADS IN MEETING

## Board Of Directors Of Arcadia Woman's Club Has Second Session Yesterday

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, presided over the second session of her board of directors, when they met at the clubhouse yesterday morning.

Those in attendance included Mrs. Meade, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. Keith Beanston and Mrs. Mark Millspaugh. Other members of the board who are out of the city on vacations are Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman and Mrs. Eugene Harpole.

Mrs. Glover reported progress on the formation of the year's programs, and Mrs. Millspaugh, treasurer, presented a statement showing the club finances in exceptionally good condition. The matter of refinancing the club house indebtedness, which has been reduced to $1600, was decided upon.

Mrs. Meade announced that she had appointed Mrs. J. C. Kaskel as chairman of the Civic Welfare department; Mrs. L. L. Moore, chairman of Education; Mrs. Charles Stewart, International Relation, and Mrs. Charles A. Dillingham, club hostess.

The meeting adjourned until August 19th, and a delicious get-together luncheon was enjoyed.

## Clubwomen to Sponsor Membership Drive

At a recent Board meeting of the Directors of the Arcadia Woman's Club, it was voted to sponsor a friendly membership contest.

Prizes will be awarded for first and second place. This being Olympaid year the club will have its own relay torch race, thus adding materially to the membership of the club.

All new membres admitted previous to September 1, will have their names in the new year book for 1936-37. The president has appointed the following to serve on the membership committee: Mrs. C. F. Noack, chairman; Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. W. A. Young, Mrs. N. McLaglan and Mrs. Florence Muller. Application cards can be obtained from the president or any member of the membership committee. Dues and initiation fees are extremely reasonable.

Women of the community will find the club an interesting organization.

Meetings are held twice monthly. They are instructive as well as intellectual. The various sections are open to all club members and the conference and president's council of the district affords contacts outside of the local club.

## Mrs. Lilly B. Petersen, Vice President Of Federation, Urges Clubwomen to Do Own Thinking About Political Problems

"Realizing the coming year is going to be tense, politically, it is important to all club women to be sure to do their own thinking," suggests Mrs. Lilly B. Petersen, vice president and regional chairman of Los Angeles county, California Federation of Women's Clubs.

"At our first round table to be held August 31 in Channing Hall, 2936 West Eighth street, Los Angeles, general information concerning the year's work of the Federation will be announced.

Mrs. Petersen announces those partment chairmen speaking on issues and problems of interest to the people of Los Angeles."

Mrs. Petersen announces those attending will have full opportunity to share in an open forum asking questions from the floor. Mrs. Petersen is inviting club presidents to secure large representations of their general membership at each of these monthly gatherings.

"The more clubwomen who attend our meetings, the greater the success of our Federation," thinks Mrs. Petersen. Her motto for the year is "Think and work."

Mrs. Frank Owens, president of Los Angeles county, California Federation of Women's Clubs, announces plan are being perfected for the first county presidents' council to be held in Hermosa Beach, October 21.

She says—"We know everything will be done for our convenience. Clubwomen, in Hermosa have long been noted for their hospitality.

"Our program chairman, Mrs. David C. Unruh, is arranging a complete program for this first event.

Other county presidents' councils are scheduled for the year as follows— December 7 at Monrovia Women's Club; the third and last council, February 12, at the Van Nuys Woman's Club in San Fernando valley.

# AUGUST

, August 20, 1936

## CLUB BOARD HAS SESSION

### Banner Year In Woman's Club Assured As Plans Made By Directors

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, met yesterday with her board of directors, at the clubhouse, the session being called to order at 10:30. Mrs. C. F. Noack, chairman of the membership committee, was present and gave a report of the progress of the committee. The board voted to set the date of expiration for the membership contest to be on the first May club meeting in 1937, when prize winners will be announced. Awards will be made at the conclusion of the club year—at the final meeting in June. Post cards with all the particulars regarding the contest, are to be sent to each club member.

The names of Mrs. W. H. Tussing, Mrs. Marjorie Harris and Mrs. Cyril W. Shier were read as new members.

The matter of cleaning and repairing the club house before the beginning of the club year was decided upon, and Mrs. Keith Beanston, with the three directors, Mrs. Larsh, Mrs. Neednam and Mrs. Hoffman, were appointed as a committee to take care of that important item.

Mrs. Wood Glover, program chairman, gave an interesting account of the conferences she has attended, and of the progress being made toward programs for the coming year. The continuance of the literature section is assured and as usual the book reviewing will be capably handled by Mrs. C. M. Roberts.

Finances were reported in good condition, and plans are being forwarded to reduce the club indebtedness considerably during the next season. At noon a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman and Mrs. Wood Glover. Dessert, particularly delightful, was ice cream, with a topping of preserved wild strawberries, picked from the Ohio meadows by Mrs. Hoffman while she vacationed there this summer.

The session concluded at 3 o'clock with plans to gather in an adjourned session on September 2, when details of the year book will be completed.

The following were present: Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, and Mesdames Keith Beanston, Eugene Harpole, W. E. Larsh, George Needham, C. C. Hoffman, C. F. Noack, J. T. Reynolds, Mark Millspaugh and Wood Glover.

AUGUST 21, 1936

## Mrs. G. G. Meade Presides Over Board Meet

Members of the Board of Directors of the Arcadia Woman's club met at their clubhouse on South First avenue Wednesday morning at 10:30 with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, presiding.

Mrs. C. F. Noack, membership chairman, reported on the progress of her committee. The club voted to set the date of expiration of the membership contest to be on the first meeting in May, 1937, when the prize winner will be announced. Awards will be made the final meeting of the club year. Post cards will be sent to each member containing information and rules governing the contest. The names of Mrs. Hardy Harris, Mrs. Cyril W. Shier and Mrs. H. W. Tussing were read as new members of the club for the coming year.

The matter of cleaning and repairing the clubhouse was decided upon and Mrs. Kieth Beanson and three directors, Mesdames Larsh, Needham and Hoffman will direct the work.

Mrs. Wood Glover gave an interesting account of the progress of programs for the coming year and the prospect is for a most delightful year in that department.

The continuance of the Literature section is assured and as usual the book reviewing will be capably handled by Mrs. Edith Roberts.

A delicious luncheon was served by Mesdames Harpole, Needham, Larsh, Hoffman and Glover.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the board on Wednesday, Sept. 2, at which time all details for the year book will be completed.

Finances are in good condition and it is hoped to reduce the club indebtedness considerably. The meeting adjourned at 3 o'clock.

Board members present were: Mesdames G. G. Meade, Keith Beanston, Eugene Harpole, J. T. Reynolds, Mark Millspaugh, Wood Glover, W. E. Larsh,, George M. Needham and C. C. Hoffman.

AUGUST 20, 1936

**COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN NAMED**

ARCADIA, Aug. 19.—Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Woman's Club, announces the appointment of Mrs. Albert Angus as chairman of the door committee. Mrs. Angus will be assisted by Mrs. Grant W. Corby, Mrs. William R. Elam, Mrs. Fred Johnson, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. R. L. Knisley, Mrs. G. A. Pope, Mrs. Robert Ferrante, Mrs. D. Bruce Douglas and Mrs. Hart Browne.

, August 21, 1936

## DECORATION GROUP NAMED

### Woman's Club President Names Mrs. Florence Granville Decoration Chairman

Although members of Women's clubs throughout the country are practical-minded—a necessity indeed if they are to accomplish their purposes—they never overlook beauty—never forget that added "something" that means so much in a club meeting.

Flowers, one of California's greatest contributions, are a vital factor of value in club life, and members of the Arcadia Woman's Club have always been generous with blossoms from their own gardens. Each meeting has been enhanced by an abundance of color—bouquets of gay flowers.

Each year, a decorating committee has been appointed to handle the important and pleasant task of gathering and arranging flowers in the club rooms, and Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, announces the appointment of this year's committee. Mrs. Florence Granville will act as chairman. She will be assisted by Mrs. Ethel Watson, Mrs. Ida Parker, Mrs. Florence Endicott, Mrs. Bessie Heuser, Mrs. Harriet Dickinson, Mrs. Luella Phelps and Miss Emily Faulkner.

AUGUST 21, 1936

## ADDITIONAL SOCIETY NEWS

### Mrs. J. J. Granville to Head Decorating Committee

A vital factor of value of club meetings is to be encompassed in a setting of beauty. Women's clubs are practical; however, the beautiful and esthetic are never overooked and their values are always considered.

At each club meeting the rooms are gay with many flowers gathered from the gardens of the members and brought to the club for the enjoyment of all.

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, has assigned the following committee: Mrs. John J. Granville, chairman; Mrs. Glen Watson, Mrs. A. L. Parker, Mrs. C. R. Endicott, Mrs. M. C. Heuser, Mrs R. N. Dickenson, Mrs. Tracy Phelps and Miss Emily Faulkner.

### Woman's Club Board Plans For Future Dinners

Members of the executive board of the Woman's Club met for a morning session last Tuesday, and made plans for the preparation of the dinner to be served to the Republican club on Saturday evening, and one for the high school teachers on October 6.

Announcement was made that the year book will be off the press in the very near future. The clubhouse is in the midst of a thorough cleaning, and will be in tip-top shape for the first meeting early in October Present at Tuesday's meeting were: Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Hoppole, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham, and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

AUGUST 28, 1936.

### Athletic Section to be Formed; Clubwomen Urged to Attend

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's club, is calling a meeting for club members who are interested in the formation of a recreational or athletic section in the club, which will be held at the clubhouse Tuesday, Sept. 1, at 10:30 o'clock.

Much interest has been shown in a department of this nature, and if there is a sufficient number present the organization will be completed.

The work of the department will feature out-of-doors activities, such as hiking, tennis, horseback riding, etc., and all those forms of athletics for health development and gymnastics that will be pleasurable and profitable.

All club members are cordially invited to be present and take part in the discussion. The future of a department of this nature teems with many possibilities.

August 31, 1936

## CLUB HEADS TO CONVENE

### Year Book Will Be Planned At Called Session Directors Of Woman's Club

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club has called a special session of the Board of Directors for Wednesday morning at 10:30. The completion of the membership roster will be passed on and names entitled to be entered in the book will receive approval of the Board.

The year book, soon to be printed, will be planned and details worked out.

Tomorrow morning will decide whether or not the local club will add another section to it's ever-growing list of activities. Several members have indicated the desire for an athletic and recreational department, and those interested are asked to meet at the clubhouse at 10:30. Such a department would feature horse-back riding, tennis, hiking and golf, and all forms of activities that make for health development and pleasure. All club members are cordially invited to attend the session.

August 28, 1936

## MAY FORM NEW SECTION

### Two Important Meetings Slated For Woman's Club Members Coming Week

The fact that the next year will undoubtedly be outstanding in Arcadia Woman's Club history is assured by all the preparation being made during the summer months. Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, has been busy for several weeks past. convening with her board of directors and making committee appointments.

At 10:30 Tuesday morning of next week, Mrs. Meade will meet with all those club members who are interested in the information of a recreational or athletic section in the club. Great interest has been shown in a department of this nature and if a sufficient number attend the first meeting, the section's organization will be completed. The work of such a department would feature out-of-door activities such as hiking, tennis, horse-back riding and all forms of exercise that make for health development and pleasure. All club members are extended a cordial invitation to attend the meeting on Tuesday, and take part in the discussion. A large attendance is anticipated.

The Board of Directors will convene in a special called session on Wednesday, to work out details of the club year book, which will go to press in the near future. The completion of the membership roster will be passed on and those names entitled to be entered in the book will receive approval of the Board. Mrs. Meade will call the session to order at 10:30, and it will adjourn promptly at noon.

Something "different" to be featured during the coming year will be the Exchange Table, a practical department for the benefit of club-members, where many articles of food, fancy work, sewing and other handiwork may be sold or exchanged. The new idea will prove profitable and servicable to members who wish to take advantage of it, and all club women are asked to have a part in the successful operation of the exchange table. Mrs. Pauline Crader and Mrs. Bertha Thompson will be in charge of the department for the year.

AUGUST 4, 1936.

## *Arcadia Woman's Club, One of Most Active Organizations in City, Organized May 19, 1914; Membership Now of More Than 150*

The Woman's Club of Aracdia, which has been instrumental in much of the upbuilding of the city, both in cultural lines and in more practical ways, had its start May 19, 1914.

At that time a little band of fourteen women met at the home of Mrs. Charles Billings, who now lives in Santa Monica, and decided to form a club under the name of "Co-operative Arcadians." Charter members included Mrs. Emma Glass, Mrs. Charles Billings, Mrs. Mary Sumwalt, Mrs. Constance Millard, (deceased), Mrs. Grimes (deceased), Mrs. Hulda Parker (deceased), Mrs. Brussels (deceased), and the following who still live in Arcadia: Mrs. James Stoker, Mrs. A. L. Parker, Mrs. R. V. Senior, Mrs. Edward Clayborn, Mrs. H. M. Roth, and Mrs Frank McCoy.

In January, 1920, the name of the club was changed to "Woman's Club of Arcadia" and the club was admitted to the State Federation. In 1924 it was admitted to the General Federation.

When the club was first formed and meetings were held at the homes of members, the activities were largely social, dances, dinners and parties. Later more serious work was taken up with study classes and philanthropic movements. Before there was a city library here, a collection of books was secured by the club women and a small library was maintined and housed. When the library became a county branch, the club women continued to give their support.

As the club grew and a larger meeting hall was needed instead of in the private homes, the city trustees offered the women the use of the City Hall free, and here they met from 1918 until the erection of the clubhouse in 1931.

However, the idea of their own club home was the ambition of the club women and a club house fund was started in 1921. Money was raised in various ways by the women and a lot on First Avenue at Diamond Street was purchased for $1800.

Ground for the new club house was broken May 4, 1931 and July

ginning of the club are: Mrs. Alice Billings, Mrs. Madge Clover, Mrs. Constance Millard, Mrs. Grace Newhall, Mrs. Hulda Parker, Mrs. Maye S. Dunham, Mrs. Nellie Pickard, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. Bertha Hawk Lewis, Mrs. Mattie Peck, Mrs. Emma D. Meade, Mrs. Marion Pike, Mrs. Jessie Stewart, Mrs. Ella May Byrne, Mrs. Emma D. Meade.

The officers of the club now are: President, Mrs. Emma D. Meade; vice president, Mrs. Julia Renshaw; second vice president, Mrs. Hermoine Beanston; recording secretary, Mrs. Ruth Harpole; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lulu Reynolds; Federation secretary, Mrs. Marie Chambers; treasurer, Mrs. Ina Millspaugh; program chairman, Mrs. May Glover; directors, Mrs. Bertha Larsh, Mrs. Fannie Needham, Mrs. Olive Hoffman.

**August 3, 1936**

# TO DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS

### Membership Committee Making Detailed Plans for Drive At Thursday Meeting

According to announcement made today by Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, the membership committee, recently appointed to take charge of a summer membership drive, will meet on Thursday at the home of the chairman, Mrs. C. F. Noack at 515 LeRoy avenue.

Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. W. A. Young, Mrs. N. McLaglan, Mrs. Florence Muller and Mrs. Meade will gather for luncheon, to be followed by a business session, when detailed plans for the drive will be made.

According to Mrs. Meade, each club member has a chance to win a lovely prize in the contest, first award going to the one who brings in by her own efforts, the largest number of new members. A second prize, equally worth striving for, will be given to the one bringing in the second largest number.

Names of all new members admitted previous to September 1 will be placed in the new year book for 1936-37, and application cards may be obtained from any committee member. Newcomers to Arcadia will find a cheery welcome at each club affair, and many Arcadians who have never become affiliated are planning to join during the summer drive. Dues and initiation fees are surprisingly low.

Entertaining and educational programs are held twice monthly and the various sections, holding much of interest to everyone, are open to every club member.

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## Plans Perfected For Membership Contest

Mrs. C. F. Noack, chairman of the membership committee of the Woman's club, entertained yesterday at her home on LeRoy avenue.

Invited for the affair were: Mrs. G. G. Meade, president; Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, treasurer and Mrs. Noack's committee assistants; Mrs. Florence Muller, Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. N. McLagan and Mrs. W. A. Young.

Following luncheon a business meeting and discussion of plans for the committee work during the coming year. A friendly membership contest will arouse much interest among members and prizes worth striving for will be awarded for first and second place. All new members admitted previous to September 1, will have their names in the new year book for 1936-37. Application cards may be obtained from the president or any member of the committee. Dues and invitation fees are extremely reasonable.

, AUGUST 7, 1936.

## Courtesy and Welfare Committees Named President

The Woman's Club, ever mindful of the many opportunities for service among those of the less fortunate, has always maintained a welfare committee.

Its object is to co-operate with other organizations in the community in matters of public welfare and philanthropy and to keep the club informed of the need. The club is especially active during the holiday season, bringing cheer and happiness to the many less fortunate.

The Rancho Amigos is often visited by club women, bearing gifts and flowers to the inmates of the home. It is the hope of the club to continue the good work as in the past, and under the able leadership of the newly appointed chairman, Mrs. J. C. Kaskel and her group of assistants, this year promises to be a very successful one. Those assisting are: Mesdames C. J. Beery, C. J. Smith, A. E. Gubren and Charles Herkner.

None the less active, though its scope is more limited, the Courtesy Committee likewise does very splendid work, extending courtesies and sympathy during illness or misfortune to club members. To be remembered by a gift of flowers or blooming plant when one is distressed makes the world seem just a little brighter and burdens more easily borne.

Mrs. Meade named the following to serve on this committee: Mrs. J. A. Stoker, chairman, she will be assisted by Mesdames, J. C. Garrow and J. H. Wheeler.

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# CLUB YEAR IS SUCCESS

## Mrs. Byrne Closes Prosperous Year As President Of Woman's Club for '35-36

Mrs. Ella May Byrne, as president of the Arcadia Woman's Club for the past year, with her enthusiastic board members and chairman of the various departments, has guided the club through a year of successful activities, beneficial to the organization—to the city of Arcadia and to each and every individual who took part.

Through the departments of Federation Extension, programs, parliamentary law, handcrafts, garden, conservations, California History and landmarks, literature and business and professional law, the club has been in close and educational contact with the district federation—and too much credit cannot be given to the local chairmen of these departments for the work they have done.

Nineteen new members have been added to the roll of the club, many of them due to work of an ambitious membership committee. All financial obligations have been promptly met and the principal on the club building debt has been reduced to a balance of $1,600. Gifts of money from several members have been greatly appreciated, and numberless members have made as valuable gifts of service and talent to the club needs.

In October, a table setting contest in which many larger clubs participated, was won, the prize being $15 cash. At Christmas time the club met generously the local welfare requirements and contributed over 200 gift boxes to less fortunate residents of Rancho Los Amigos, with many members witnessing the presentation at the Rancho. $25 was subscribed to the Federation Building fund and $5 to the Will Rogers Memorial fund.

At each meeting during the year, special guests were present, and recognition was given to other organizations of Arcadia, through the attendance of official leaders of each, at luncheon sessions. Members of the Rotary club, city councilmen, directors of the chamber of commerce, P. E. O. members, faculty members of the high and grammar schools, and members of the newspaper fraternity have all been received as guests.

Many prominent entertainers appeared on the programs, with a great variety of musical artists and speakers on altruistic, conservative and international subjects being introduced. At one meeting, members enjoyed impressions of China, with native music and folklore; another told of the real people of Africa and descriptions of the Flora and Fauna of that continent were most interesting. New Zealand was the interesting topic at one meeting, and at still another, informative talks on the inside workings of the county sheriff's office and the conduct of the jail and treatment of the prisoners, was heard.

The Christmas program, one of the year's best, was a beautiful and soul-stirring pageant of the women of the Bible, who sang Christmas Carols. Lovely numbers of singing, dancing, poetry and dramatic talent—many contributed by club members and other community residents, were enjoyed at various meetings.

The Woman's Club, always a leader in community affairs, has been especially active during the past season, and a very fine spirit of helpful co-operation has been enjoyed by all active members of the different local organizations. The club was represented in the Armistice Day parade and took an active part in the ground-breaking ceremonies for the historic beginning of Ross Field as a new county park; had a major part in sponsoring the idea of planting flowering peach trees in the city, and actually planted a number throughout the community, club and school grounds. For the latter, the trees were a gift from the club, and an impressive afternoon ceremony, with school children taking part, was held on Arbor Day, when the trees were planted and dedicated to historic characters.

Twenty members spent an instructive day visiting the city and county courts in Los Angeles, with an enjoyable luncheon at the La Golondrina on Olvera street.

Eight past presidents are active members of the club, and on January 15, some of these sideliners announced they had organized as a past presidents group and would stand in readiness to serve the club as opportunity developed the need. The club rooms have been beautified each session with flowers arranged by the decorating committee, and the club grounds owe most of their beauty to conscientious work of the garden section.

The loyal workers who have helped with luncheons and extra family evening dinners have materially aided the financial success of the club year. Without a doubt, the most unique event was the recent "Family Supper under Petticoat Rule," being a special complimentary gesture to the retiring president and a financial success which added $63 to the treasury. Husbands served the dinner and washed the dishes.

In speaking for every member of the club Mrs. Nellie Bishop his

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CONSIDERATION?

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# COMMITTEES NAMED TODAY

## Woman's Club President Lists New Welfare and Courtesy Workers For Year

The Arcadia Woman's Club . . . ever mindful of the many opportunities for service among those less fortunate, has always maintained a welfare committee. Especially active at the holiday season, the committee endeavors to keep the club informed of conditions in the community. Its object is to cooperate with other organizations in Arcadia in the matters of public welfare and philanthropy.

The committee also interests itself in work outside the club. Many pilgrimages of club women, bearing gifts and flowers, have been made to the Rancho Amigos, and extensive work has been accomplished at holiday time. Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Woman's Club has appointed Mrs. J. C. Kaskel chairman of this year's welfare committee, to be assisted by Mrs. C. J. Beery, Mrs. C. J. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Gruben and Mrs. Charles Herkner.

Continuing in her committee appointments, Mrs. Meade announces that she has selected Mrs. J. A. Stoker to serve as chairman of the courtesy committee. She will be aided by Mrs. J. C. Garrow and Mrs. J. H. Wheeler. The latter group has been none the less helpful, although it is more limited in its activities. Extending sympathy to members of the club or their loved ones during illness or other misfortune . . . sending flowers and blooming plants to bring cheeriness that can be expressed in no other way . . . such is the work of the courtesy committee. Happy events are also on their list, and are remembered appropriately.

The committee will appreciate being informed when need of their service arises.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY, AUG. 19TH

There will be a regular business meeting of the Board of Directors of the Arcadia Woman's club at the clubhouse on South First avenue, August 19th at 10:30 o'clock.

At the conclusion of the meeting luncheon will be served by Mesdames, Eugene Harpole, W. E. Larsh, C. C. Hoffman, George Needham and Wood Glover.

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## Mrs. Meade Announces Personnel of Door Committee

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's club, has been busy this summer appointing committees to serve during the club year, and this week she announces the personnel of the Door Committee, this committee not only has the responsibility of making members feel welcome when coming to the meetings but also new members and guests especially appreciate this courtesy when coming into the club for the first time

The newly appointed chairmen of this committee are: Mrs. Grant W. Corby, Mrs. William R. Elam, Mrs. Fred H. Johnsen, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. R. L. Knisley, Mrs. G. A. Pope, Mrs. Robert Ferrante, Mrs. D. B. Douglas and Mrs. Hart Browne.

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## *Mrs. Will Lee Austin, Head California District Federation of Women's Clubs, Raps Continued Rumors of Dissension*

There have been rumblings in club circles to the effect that friction existed between the district and county federations of women's clubs over the latter's expansion of departments.

But, speaking at the first county round table of the season, Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president, said:

"We had better have an overlapping of the district and county departments than to leave any gap, to have any necessary work undone.

"A county federation is necessary. There are county problems which the district, composed of five counties, could not touch.

"Every county in our district is important. In Los Angeles county the matter is complicated because Los Angeles is the center both of the district and the county work.

"But each has a very definite piece of work to do."

Mrs. Austin was the principal speaker on the first program of the year, with Mrs. Frank C. Owens, the president, opening the meeting and then turning proceedings over to Mrs. Lilly B. Peterson, regional supervisor.

Interviewed by Mrs. Anne Meservey on the responsibilities of a club toward its officers, Mrs. Austin urged that each club member be required, by the by-laws, to take a pledge of loyalty to the elected officers, whether or not those officers happened to be the member's chosen candidate.

She also urged that club leaders be chosen for ability and not for looks.

"The Lord gave us our looks, but we make our own characters," she said. "Choose an officer because she is qualified, not because she is pretty, or well-dressed, or in line for the office."

She also urged a combination of a social and sturdy program. "Social contacts widen the individual's scope just as study, the contact of mind with other minds, widens the mental horizon," she said. "That is the great value of federation."

Mrs. Ina Gerry Mountjoy, the new music chairman, outlined plans to organize a county chorus and to make the county federation "A singing county."

## *Women's Clubs of Los Angeles County To Experiment This Year on Regional Plan in Effort to Concentrate Activities*

In an effort to secure closer understanding and co-operation between Los Angeles district board of directors and the clubs in the district they represent, the latter has worked out a new plan of activity for the year.

Clubs are to be listed in groups according to location. The Federation activities of these clubs in each group will be supervised by the Director who lives in the area.

It is believed this program of working will facilitate the contact of the district with the clubs when needed, and at the same time create a closer tie-up between district and directors.

The directors who are being entrusted with this piece of federation solidification are Elizabeth Elliott; Mrs. P. H. Johnson, Mrs. Robert E. Skinner, Mrs. Rollin Lee McNitt, Mrs. Eugene R. Brockaway, Mrs. R. J. Morrison, Mrs. Alan Dibble, Mrs. George D. Chambers and Miss Grace Barnberg.

Mrs. Will Lee Austin, president of L. A. district and Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, vice president, have been devoting considerable thought to a plan which will give the outlying districts benefit of the federation advantages.

Miss Elizabeth Elliott of Covina is the official director for the San Gabriel valley district, which includes Monrovia and Arcadia women's clubs.

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You can tell the officers from the racketeers in the news picture. The officers aren't covering their faces.

## Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson, Prominent Club Woman of Southland, Says Co-Operation With Men Essential to Assure Progress

Women have learned some of the art of working in organizations together. Their next step must be to master the job of working hand in hand with men if continued progress is to be assured the community and state thinks Grace Y. Hudson, junior past president of Los Angeles district, California federation of women's clubs.

"It is time for a new order of things," she opines. "A country's prosperity and a people's happiness cannot be outstanding or permanent without this sort of co-operation," she believes.

Mrs. Hudson, recently chosen a member of the nominating committee of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, takes time to study human affairs.

In recent surveys made during her chairmanship of the community contacts department in the state organization, Mrs. Hudson has made rather a careful study of organizations and how they function with regard to the general subject of public welfare.

"We women can't hope to lead men although we may believe ourselves well equipped through having greater leisure to study affairs," she says.

Asked whether she believed the next step should be a reorganization of women's clubs to include men members; Mrs. Hudson replies that such a step would probably prove unsuccessful. "Reorganizing a large group like the federal clubs is not by any means easy or perhaps even possible," she adds. She points to the co-ordinating councils growing up fast in many communities as the probable next step in community progress. In these groups men and women work together either as representatives of organizations or individually to achieve human progress.

Mrs. Hudson expects to go on in federation work next year. But she will not oppose Mrs. Will Lee Austin, the present district president for any office the latter may choose to seek.

Los Angeles district is entitled to two state offices next spring. One will be that of state trustee which it is believed Mrs. Austin will accept. The other will be either the state vice presidency or the office of vice president-at-large.

It is within the discretion of the district board to make a choice of this second office, according to custom.

Mrs. Hudson would be in line and would accept either one of these two offices it is believed.

# SEPTEMBER

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## PLANS MADE FOR CONTEST

### Mrs. Noack Acts As Chairman Of Membership Drive; To Close September 1

The recently appointed membership committee of the Arcadia Woman's Club met yesterday at the home of the chairman, Mrs. C. F. Noack, 515 LeRoy avenue, to complete plans for their membership contest. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess at 1230. Garden roses formed a centerpiece for the table, and place cards carried out the dainty motif. Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. Florence Muller, Mrs. W. A. Young, Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the club, and Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, secretary, were present.

When new members are taken into the club, it has been customary for them to join after the meetings begin in the fall, and their names are not received in time to be added to the yearly program book. To avoid that condition, the membership "drive" has been planned. The contest is open to each member of the club, and the object is to contact as many people as possible, and obtain their memberships before September first, the closing date of the event. Attractive prizes will be awarded to first and second winners . . . the club member who brings in by her own efforts, the greatest number of new members . . . and the one who brings in second highest.

Those participating are urged to stress the fact that the Arcadia Woman's club not only has monthly meetings of great social, entertainment, and educational value, but that it embraces a group of sections, of which at least one group will be of interest. Included in the list of sections are: Arts and crafts, business and protective law and legislation, California history and landmarks, conservation of wild life, drama, educational, gymnasium, garden and literature.

**BOARD IN SESSION TODAY**

Members of the Board of Directors of the Arcadia Woman's Club were to meet this morning at the clubhouse in a special called session, with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, presiding. A decision on the prospect of having a club athletic department was to be made and plans for the year book were in readiness.

September 3, 1936

## NEW SECTION IS APPROVED

### Athletic Department Added To Club Sections; Board Convenes Yesterday

When the Arcadia Woman's Club opens it's winter season next month there will be no hustling at the last minute to make arrangements . . . according to the business-like manner in which the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade and her board are going about their preparations.

A very important session was held yesterday, when the board of directors met with the president at the clubhouse. The application for the formation of an athletic section to feature out-of-doors activities was approved and details will be worked out at a later meeting. A list of the complete memberships of the club, given by the treasurer, Mrs. Millspaugh, was approved unanimously for insertion in the year book. Approval was also given on a list of chairman appointments, presented by Mrs. Meade.

A resolution was unanimously passed that a letter be written the city council to the effect that the Board of Direcors of the Woman's Club of Arcadia are opposed to the establishment of every form of gambling or games of skill in the city of Arcadia. The names of Mrs. Robert L. Schadel, Mrs. James S. Craig, Mrs. J. R. Gillis and Mrs. Frances Needham were submitted by Mrs. C. F. Noack, membership chairman, for club affiliation.

Mrs. Glover, program chairman, gave a detailed account of the years program and Reciprocity Day was set for March 17th. Material for the year book is nearing completion and will soon go to press. Mrs. Meade announced that each member will be given three guest cards, which must be properly filled in and presented at the door, and given to the president, who will introduce the guests to the club. She announced the following dates for September conferences for the Los Angeles district: Federation extension, September 17, Headquarters; International Interests, September 24, Barker Brothers; Radio, September 25, Headquarters; Music, September 27, Headquarters; Presidents' Council, Long Beach, September 30.

SEPT. 4, 1936.

## Athletic Section Formed; Application Approved By Board Members

Members of the Board of the Arcadia Woman's Club met Wednesday morning for the purpose of establishing a new section to the club. With the required number of board members present the new Athletic section was formed and will feature out-of-doors activities. A meeting will be called at a later date to complete details of this new department.

A list of the complete membership of the club, given by the treasurer, Mrs. Millspaugh, was read, and was approved for insertion in the year book, by the unanimous vote of the board.

The president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, presented a list of appointments of chairmen which was approved.

Membership chairman, Mrs. Noack, presented the application for membership which was approved. The list included the following: Mrs. Robert L. Schadel, Mrs. James S. Craig, Mrs. J. R. Gillis and Mrs. Frances Needham.

A resolution was unanimously passed that a letter be written the city council that the board of directors of the Woman's Club of Arcadia are opposed to the establishment of any form of gambling or games of skill in the city of Arcadia.

The president announced the dates of the September conferences for the Los Angeles district:

Federation Extension, Sept. 17, headquarters.

International Interests, Sept. 24, Barker Brothers.

Radio, Sept. 25, headquarters.

Music, Sept. 27, headquarters.

Presidents' Council, Long Beach, Sept. 30.

All members will be given three guest cards, which must be presented at the door by guests. These cards are to be properly filled out and given to the president, who will introduce the guests to the club.

A detailed account of the year's program was given by Mrs. Glover. program chairman. Reciprocity Day was set for March 17.

The material for the year book is almost completed and will soon be ready to be printed.

Board members present were: Mrs. Meade, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. J. Renshaw, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4, 1936.

## Clubwomen Plan Reunions for County Fair

Clubwomen, historical societies and other organizations of Southern California are entering enthusiastically into plans for the colorful fiesta reunion at the Los Angeles County Fair at Pomona on September 20.

Mrs. M. C. Kennedy of Pomona, chairman of the reunion committee, has issued invitations to more than ninety officers of the organizations to participate in holding their own reunions on the fairgrounds. Local committees are arranging details of hospitality, under direction of Mrs. Kate C. Webster, reception chairman.

Mrs. George S. Phillips, program chairman, will supervise informal entertainment during intermissions of La Fiesta del Rancho San Jose, an elaborate historical pageant parade, and headquarters will be established for the visitors' convenience.

Invitations have been extended to Albert V. Myehofer, president of the California Historical Association, San Diego; H. F. Withey, chairman of history and landmarks, American Institute of Architects, Los Angeles; Herbert I. Prietley, librarian, Bancroft Library, Universit yof California; Mrs. Oscar Elvrum, chairman of history and landmarks, Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Kate B. Francisco, Covered Wagon Babies' Club, Los Angeles; Capt. William Banning, Pioneer Stage Drivers' Association; Miss Mary B. Hampson, Native Daughters of the Golden West, Bakersfield; Miss Elizabeth Elliott, Covina Women's Club Mrs. John Quincy Adams, Tuesday Afternoon Club, Glendale.

Mmes. Anna Begue de Packman, Thomas E. Conamino, Samuel Cary Dunlap, A. S. C. Forbes, Ned Lewis David R. Faries, Erwin W. Wedney, Christine Sterling and Maud R. Newell of Los Angeles; Mrs. Scott Gleeton, Monrovia; Mrs. D. L. Baker, Pasadena; Mrs. T. D. Allih, Pasadena Historical Society; Mrs. Olive E. McMillan, Pasadena Pioneers' Association; W. Parker Lyon, Pony Express Museum, Arcadia; Rev. Andrew Resa, San Gabriel Mission; George Hugh Banning, South Pasadena.

Fred Backs, Anaheim; Rev. Arthur J. Hutchinson, Mission San Juan Capistrano; Mrs. Janet Williams Gould, Corona; Edward Porman, Ramona Pageant Association; DeWitt Hutchings, Riverside; Mrs. D. C. Squires, Bloomington; A. Harvey Collins, Redlands; John Davidson, North San Diego, and Frank J. McCoy, Santa Monica.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1936

## Board of Directors Meet; Plans Completed for Club Opening

Members of the board of directors of the Arcadia Woman's club convened at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, with all members present with the exception of Mrs. A. R. Chambers.

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, presided. The names of Mrs. Mable Moore of 2126 Baldwin avenue and Gertrude Schenck, 661 Camino Real, were presented for membership.

Bids for the cleaning of the clubhouse, which will include a thorough cleaning of carpets, drapes and the clubhouse in general were considered. It is hoped that this work will be finished for the opening day of the club. Consideration was given to the matter of renting the clubhouse for rehearsals to the singing group of the Adult Education class which is under the direction of Mrs. Mable Nye; however, no action was taken.

Members are very enthusiastic about the president's party to be held in the early fall. Each member volunteered to serve on the committee in order to carry the project to a successful conclusion.

Members heartily voiced their approval and voted unanimously for the sponsorship of the Boy Scout Troop No. 5. The president gave the names of the committeemen to serve on this group. They are: Messrs. R. N. Dickinson, Milton Lubetkin, J. C. Garrow, Dr. A. C. Ambler and C. J. Smith. It is hoped to have this troop organized as soon as possible.

The financial statement of the treasurer shows finances to be in good condition.

Plans were completed for the opening of the club season on Wednesday, Oct. 7.

The following were present: Mrs. Meade, Mrs. J. A. Renshaw, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

**September 10, 1936**

## Clubwomen To Provide Jelly For Federation Booth

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club today issued a last call for the glasses of home-made jelly to be given by members of the club, for sale at the Federation booth on the County Fair grounds.

Each member has been asked to donate two glasses from her pantry shelf . . . an easy task for Arcadia's good cooks . . . and are to take them to the home of Mrs. Keith Beanston, 420 South Second, this week if possible and not later than next Tuesday.

**September 17, 1936**

# WILL SPONSOR SCOUT TROOP

### Board Of Woman's Club Votes To Sponsor Troop 5; Plans For Party

The Board of Directors of the Arcadia Woman's Club met yesterday morning, with Mrs. G. G. Meade calling the session to order at 9 o'clock. In casting a unanimous vote for the sponsorship of Boy Scout Troop number 5, the Board started the Woman's Club toward another of it's civic accomplishments, one which has been long discussed. Mrs. Meade presented the names of the following men to serve on the Committee: R. N. Dickinson, M. Lubetkin, J. C. Garrow, Dr. A. C. Ambler, C. J. Smith. It is hoped to have the troop organized immediately.

Keen enthusiasm was shown over the President's party, to be held in the early fall. Each board member volunteered to serve on the committee to carry the project to a successful conclusion. Names of Mrs. Mable Moore, 2126 Baldwin avenue, Mrs. Gertrude Schenck, 661 Camino Real, Mrs. G. M. Crawford, 130 East Valnett and Mrs. A B. Ellison, 623 Camino Real, were submitted for membership. Bids for the cleaning of the club house and all drapes and carpets were considered, and plans are being made to have the work finished for the opening day next month. Consideration was given to renting the clubhouse for rehearsals of the adult education singing group, under the direction of Mrs. Mabel Nye. No action was taken.

The financial statement of the treasurer showed club finances to be in excellent condition. Plans for the opening of the club season on October 7 were completed. All board members with the exception of Mrs. Marie Chambers, who is in Miami, Florida, where her mother is recovering from a serious automobile accident, were present. They include the president, Mrs. G. G Meade, Mrs. John A. Renshaw, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

SEPTEMBER 25, 1936.

## Board of Directors of Woman's Club Convene

The board of directors of the Arcadia Woman's club met Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the clubhouse, with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, presiding over the short business meeting.

Mrs. Meade announced that all her committees have been appointed and that two new sections have been added to the club, an athletic and a current events division, and should bring much added interest as well as enjoyment to members.

Mrs. Wood Glover, program chairman, has worked diligently during the summer months in order to obtain the best possible programs for club meetings. She announced that arrangements have been completed for the year's entertainment.

The Year Book is in the hands of the printer and will soon be available. The clubhouse is undergoing a thorough spring housecleaning, and will be ready for the opening of the club year, Oct. 7.

Board members will serve dinner to the Men's Republican Study club this evening at 6:30, and on Oct. 6, members will serve dinner to high school teachers.

Board members present were: Mrs. Meade, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. J. A. Renshaw, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. Needham and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

**September 24, 1936**

## Woman's Club Board Plans For Future Dinners

Members of the executive board of the Woman's Club met for a morning session last Tuesday, and made plans for the preparation of the dinner to be served to the Republican club on Saturday evening, and one for the high school teachers on October 6.

Announcement was made that the year book will be off the press in the very near future. The clubhouse is in the midst of a thorough cleaning, and will be in tip-top shape for the first meeting early in October Present at Tuesday's meeting were: Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham, and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

**September 23, 1936**

# MEN TO FORM STUDY GROUP

### Stag Dinner At Woman's Club On Friday To Mark Republican Debut

Reformation of the Arcadia Republican Club will take place in this city on Friday night at a stag dinner scheduled for the Woman's Clubhouse on S. First Avenue, it was announced today.

With A. N. Multer presiding pro tem, election of the initial set of officers for the unit will take place on Friday with a Los Angeles Republican leader aiding in the reorganizing plans and membership buildup of the group.

Following the 6:30 o'clock dinner, prepared by the Woman's Club, the organization wheels will start rolling, with membership blanks circulated among those present and distributed to those who will concentrate on the enlarging of the club.

This afternoon at four o'clock in the offices of A. L. Hickson, official of the Pomona Republican Club, delegates from various cities are slated to convene to map out the month's campaign in this district. Included in the party attending from this vicinity are Multer, William Elam, O. T. Gilbank, Mrs. E. Timerhoff, president of the Arcadia Woman's Republican Study Club, and Mrs. George Munro, the latter representing Mrs. George Schuetz, Monrovia club leader.

**September 25, 1936**

# WOMANS CLUB TO BE SCENE FOR MEETING

### Election Of Officers Slated At Gathering Tonight In Woman's Clubhouse

### A. N. MULTER PRESIDING

### Republican Headquarter Members To Aid In Forming Local Group

One of the largest gatherings in the city of Arcadia during the present political campaign is expected to take place tonight at the Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse when a stag dinner-meeting will form the basis for the reorganization of the Arcadia Republican Club.

With A. N. Multer presiding, the dinner will be underway by 6:30 o'clock, served by the Woman's Club staff. Election of officers will headline the business session.

Aiding the local unit in its formation plans, Marvin Freedman and Phillip Reicker, members of the Republican Headquarters Lecture Bureau, will speak briefly, the latter outline precinct organization to the local club.

Freedman, it was announced this week, will speak on the subject "Republicanism."

Tickets, selling at 50 cents per plate, have been moving at a fast clip, and a capacity crowd is predicted to be in the clubhouse when the gong calls the throng to the tables.

# OCTOBER

October 8, 1936

## CLUBWOMEN OPEN SEASON

### 150 Attend First Meeting Of New Year; Hear Talk On "Art Of Living"

Old and new members of the Arcadia Woman's Club . . . and many friends . . . found a heart-warming welcome and a pervading spirit to eagerness to begin club activities again, at yesterday's first autumn meeting, held at the clubhouse on South First avenue. A delicious luncheon was served to approximately 150 ladies in the auditorium at 12:30, the whole place lovely in its autumn motif, with huge baskets of giant dahlias, from the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Chase, on the stage, and gay dwarf dahlias used profusely on the president's table. Each luncheon table was centered with a bowl of fall blossoms.

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, graciously welcomed members and guests, and in keeping with "Officers day", introduced each officer, who responded with a two-minute talk concerning the duties of her office. The president also introduced each department chairman and each guest. Miss Carol Rees, soprano from Whittier, sang two lovely solos, "Love in the Wind," by McFadden and Brahms "Cradle Song", accompanied at the piano by Miss Edith McDonald.

Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, vice-president of the Los Angeles District, C.F.W.C., was luncheon speaker, choosing as her topic, "The Power of Clubwomen's Influence in their Community, State and Nation." Mrs. Stearns told the benefits of cooperation of Women's Clubs with civic organizations . . . of the significance of the American flag, stating that each citizen helps to make the Flag what it is . . . not alone those great pioneers in the day of Betsy Ross and George Washington.

Mrs. Meade presided over a brief business meeting, when reports of summer activities were made, and details were given on the thorough "clean-up" of the clubhouse. Mrs. Marye Shannon Harrington, lecturer, author, psychologist, was presented as the afternoon speaker, talking on "The Art of Living." Illustrating her lecture with many beautiful stories, Mrs. Harrington told how the study of psychology aids in the appreciation of one's self and fellowman . . . how a person's viewpoint on life depends largely upon the "focus" of the telescope of life. Tactfully she stated "a great many of us continually look through the small end of the telescope . . . dwarfing our opinion of others . . . of God's creations . . . and of ourselves." That learning to live harmoniously with others, be-


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October 5, 1936

## HIGHWAY TALK HEARD AT CLUB

### Standing Committee Chairmen Honored At Meeting Of Woman's Club

With the club rooms delightfully arrayed in autumn decoration of rust crysanthemums and many-colored dahlias, a large group of women gathered yesterday for the second meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club. Standing committee chairmen were honored guests of the afternoon, and were seated at the speaker's table for the 12:30 luncheon. After being introduced by the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, each of the following responded with a brief talk concerning the work of her particular office: Mrs. C. F. Noack, membership; Mrs. John Kaskel, civic welfare; Mrs. Charles Warner, social; Mrs. J. A. Stoker, courtesy; Mrs. M. M. Trew, music; Mrs. Keith Beanston, house; Mrs. H. G. Pangborn, press book; Mrs. J. Thompson, exchange table and Mrs. Albert Angus, door.

During the luncheon hour, Miss Norma Parks entertained with three lovely violin solos including "Thais" by Massenet; "Loure" by Bach and "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen" by Clarence White. Miss Parks was then joined by one


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## WOMEN BEGIN CLUB SEASON

### Excellent Program Scheduled For Initial Meeting Of Woman's Club

When the Arcadia Woman's Club opens it's doors on Wednesday, for the first meeting of the 1936-37 year, Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, will graciously welcome many new members and guests. Starting off the season with a program, not to be outdone by those following, Mrs. May Glover, program chairman will present two prominent speakers. Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, vice-president of the Los Angeles District, will speak during the luncheon hour, and has chosen as her subject, "The Power of Clubwomen's Influence in the Community, State and Nation."

Miss Carol Rees, lyric soprano of Whittier, will sing several numbers, accompanied at the piano by Miss Edith McDonald. At 2 o'clock, Mrs. Meade will preside over a business meeting, and the afternoon program will follow.

Marye Shannon Harrington, nationally known, not only as an unforgettable speaker, but for the quality of her work in human relations, will speak on "The Art of Living," the lecture which has been called by those who have heard it, "Mrs. Harrington's piece de resistance." Mrs. Harrington's charm, her physical and mental poise, express a well-balanced personality; her wide travel and deep experience in human nature have given her a cosmopolitan tolerance, but have not dimmed her enthusiasm for living. She is a compelling and convincing speaker, and the Woman's Club is indeed fortunate in obtaining her as a speaker.

Wednesday is also "officers day," at the local club. Mesdames Angus, Knisley, Corby and Elam make up the door committee, and decorations will be arranged by Mrs. John Granville and Mrs. Parker.

## Literature Section To Begin Sessions Monday

The Literature Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club begins its fall season next Monday, October 12, with a meeting at the clubhouse, commencing at 1:30.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ingram is chairman of the section this year, Mrs. Nellie Marshall is treasurer and Mrs. Edith B. Roberts will again present her splendid book reviews. The section is open to all members of the Woman's Club and their friends.

October 7, 1936

## NEW TROOP TO BE ORGANIZED

### Acting Committee Head Garrow Calls Session As Unit Gets Underway

With all preliminary arrangements completed, Troop V, newest troop to be included in the Arcadia Boy Scout ranks, is "all set to go," according to word made public today.

Sponsored by the Woman's Club, 15 boys have already signified their intentions of joining and forming the nucleus of the new youthful group. Lack of troops has kept several local boys out of Scoutdom and the Arcadia Cuncil, Boy Scouts of America, stand ready to aid in every possible way to get the new organization underway, it was said today by Earl R. Kingston, chairman of the council.

R. M. Dickinson has been named as troop committee chairman for Troop V, but while he gone for three months with his family to Palm Springs, Jock Garrow will act as troop head. This evening, Garrow has called a meeting at his home at 1119 South Eighth Avenue for troop committeemen and other leaders to launch the formal organization of the new troop.

Representatives from the Pasadena-San Gabriel Valley District will attend tonight's conference at Garow's home, it was announced.

J. Berkompas has been named Scout-Master for the troop.

## Mrs. John Murfett Represents President At Club

Mrs. John Murfett represented Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club at the meeting of the Wednesday Morning Club in Los Angeles yesterday. A Reciprocity luncheon and program was enjoyed.

A group of 10 or 12 boys, not affiliated with any troop, will gather Tuesday evening at the Santa Anita ave. school house to form Troop 5 which is sponsored by the Woman's club. This troop will meet there for several months, as planned now, later meeting in the Boy Scouts cabin. Most of the boys intending to join live south of Duarte road and in the vicinity of the school.

Besides the officers nine committeemen and scoutmasters and E. Thrasher, field man and consultant of Pasadena, were in attendance. The next meeting will be held Nov. 16.

## "Highway Safety" is Theme For Club Meeting

That Woman's clubs are a vital force in the lives of the women of the community attested to by the large gathering of club members at the second meeting of the club year.

Under the direction of Mrs. G. M. Needham and her committee Mesdames Leroy Anderson, Harry Baughman, Edward Kaurin, C. R. Endicott, F. W. Miller, W. A. Young, G. W. Needham, a most delicious luncheon was served at the noon hour.

The chairmen of the Standing Committees were specially honored and seated at the speakers table. Each responded when introduced by the President, Mrs. Meade with a brief talk concerning the work of their departments. Those present were, Membership, Mrs. C. F. Noack; Civic Welfare, Mrs. J. O. Kaskel; Social, Mrs. Charles Warner; Courtesy, Mrs. J. A. Stoker; Music, Mrs. M. Trew; House, Mrs. Kieth Beanston; Press Book, Mrs. H. G. Pangborn; Exchange Table, Mrs. J. Thompson; Door, Mrs. Albert Angus.

During the luncheon hour the group were entertained with the lovely violin solos by Miss Norma Park, who played, "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen" by C. White; "Phais" by Massenet and "Loure" by Bach. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Grace Gates. Mildred Sanders, pupil of Miss Parks played a Swedish duet.

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# NOVEMBER

November 4, 1936

## FLOWER SHOW ADDS FEATURES

### Unique Gourd, Begonia Display Scheduled For Gala Affair November Tenth

New and unique features which will attract crowds to the gala "community flower show and birthday celebration," to be staged at the Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse on November 10, by the Garden Section of the club, have been arranged by Mrs. F. H. White and her enthusiastic committee.

Those in charge promise not only on exhibition of artistic merit, rare beauty and charm, but other enjoyable attractions, appealing to all who attend. There will be floral favors for all, including specially quaint ones for those holding lucky numbers. There will be a door prize designed to bring beauty into the life of the winner, and the special floral arrangements including flower pictures in the Japanese style will attract all lovers of beauty..

Arcadians will be amazed at the gorgeous display of crysanthemums of all shades, delicately tinted roses, prize winning dahlias and rare plants and shrubs of every known variety that can be grown in this locale. An exhibit of Rex and tuberous rooted begonias from the Fox Begonia and Rare Plant Gardens will be an added attraction, and a specimen exhibit from the largest and finest collection of gourds grown in Southern California will greet the eye at the portico entrance of the clubhouse. A portion of the latter collection was recently loaned to the Foothill Garden Club for their plaza scene at the Busch Gardens Flower Show in Pasadena. A gourd contest, open to all, is being planned.

In addition to plants and flowers, novel displays of fruits and vegetables, as complete as those at the County Fair, are being planned.

Entries of rare plants, flowers or shrubs are being particularly solicited for an outstanding featue. Everyone in Arcadia is extended a cordial invitation to exhibit at the show, for there is to be no entrance fee—just a spirit of friendly rivalry. No admittance fee will be charged, and the reception committee will graciously welcome all who attend. Arcadians are urged to bring friends from surrounding communities.

Arcadians should set aside November 10 as "Flower Show" day—and make it a point to visit this outstanding contribution to the city beautification movement, now taking place in so many Southern California cities. It is a forward step by the Garden Section of the Woman's Club in making Arcadia truly the city of beautiful homes.

## GROUP PLANS FLOWER SHOW

### Arcadians Invited To Take Part In Gala Festival To Be Staged November 10

One of the outstanding affairs of the year on the calendar of the Arcadia Woman's Club will be held on November 10, and will be the tenth annual flower show, sponsored by the club Garden Section. Under the capable leadership of Mrs. F. H. White as chairman this year, the section plans to top all former efforts in the show.

Scheduled for afternoon and evening, the affair is to be open to all Arcadians, and due to the fact that it will be non-competitive, no entrance fee will be charged. Several special features will be added to this year's show making it more attractive to all and Arcadians who have never attended one of the section's festivals will marvel at the huge collection of natural and cultivated beauty grown in local gardens.

Unheard of in this city prior to 1926, it was during that year, when Mrs. White was president of the club, that the annual affairs started, the first one drawing attendance from all over San Gabriel Valley. In celebration of their 10th year in this field, the Garden section plans to make the forthcoming event one to be remembered for years to come. There will be no admission charged at the clubhouse, for those viewing the display.

## Blind Artists Scheduled For Woman's Club Today

Tom Butler, blind speaker, and James Townsend, blind singer, heard often over local radio stations, were to appear today at the Arcadia Woman's Club, through the auspices of the Braille Institute. They were to present the afternoon program.

Mrs. Francis Eugene Payne, program chairman of the Los Angeles District Federation was to talk on current events during the luncheon hour, when department chairmen were honored.

## SECTION TO MEET MONDAY

### Mrs. Edith Roberts To Review Latest Books At Next Session Literature Group

The second meeting of the Literature section of the Arcadia Woman's Club for this year will be held at the clubhouse next Monday afternoon, commencing at 1:30. As a special feature, it was announced today by Mrs. Frank Ingram, chairman of the section, new members of the club will be invited as guests for the Monday meeting.

Mrs. Edith B. Roberts, who very charmingly presents book reviews at each session has listed the following for the next meeting: News From Tartary—Peter Fleming; No Place Like Home—Beverley Nichols; Three Wheeling Through Africa—James Wilson; Saint Joan of Arc—V. Sackville-West; Adam's Profession—Julian Meade; How to Worry Successfully—David Seabury; Golden Wedding—Anne Parrish; The Old Ashburn Place—Margaret Flint; But Beauty Vanishes—Richard Blaker; The New House—Lettice Cooper; Yank and Yin—Alice Tisdale Hobart. Mrs. Roberts will also review several new plays of the season.

**November 27, 1936**

# CLUB HONORS PRESIDENTS

## Past Presidents Woman's Club To Bring "Echoes from the Past" At Meeting

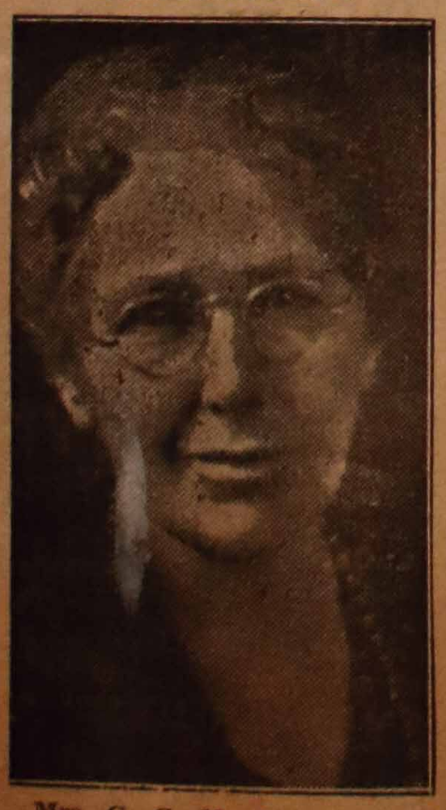
When the Arcadia Woman's Club meets next Wednesday at 12:15, presidents, with the exception of three who have passed on, who have served in turn from the club's organization in May, 1914, will be invited to sit at the speaker's table. The list of past presidents includes: Mrs. Alice Billings, Mrs. Madge Clover, deceased, Mrs. Constance Millard, deceased, Mrs. Grace Newhall, Mrs. Hulda Parker, deceased, Mrs. Nellie Pickard, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. Bertha Lewis, Mrs. Mattie Peck, Mrs. Marion Pike, Mrs. Jessie Stewart, Mrs. Ella M. Byrne and this year's president, Mrs. G. G. Meade.

As each is introduced in turn, she will bring a two-minute informal talk about her term of office, the whole under the title of "Echoes From the Past." Mrs. Dan Rose is chairman of the luncheon committee.

Following the business meeting and group singing led by Mrs. M. M. Trew, a program of pictures and a lecture titled "The First Twenty Million Years," will be given by Mr. B. M. Jones, jr., through the courtesy of the Southern California Gas Company. The same program, given recently in Pasadena, was pronounced by those present as educational and exceptionally good entertainment.

Mrs. Albert Angus, Mrs. George Pope, Mrs. Ray Knisley, and Mrs. Bruce Douglas make up the door committee for Wednesday, and Mrs. John Granville and Mrs. A. L. Parker are in charge of decorations.

**PRESIDENT**



Mrs. G. G. Meade, new president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, who also served a two year term, during which time the Club House was built. Club members are looking forward to another banner year under her leadership.

**November 5, 1936**

### ATTENDS INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS LUNCHEON

Mrs. Jessie O. Stewart represented the Arcadia Woman's Club at a meeting of the International Relations department of the federation of Woman's Clubs last Thursday afternoon, May 28th, in South Pasadena.

The affair arranged by Mrs. C. H. Oneal, was a luncheon held at the South Pasadena Woman's clubhouse and was attended by three hundred representatives and federation officers.

Tables of all nations were elaborately decorated with many typical objects from various countries.

Mrs. Oneal has been chosen to represent the department for the federation next year.

### MEETING OF LITERATURE SECTION TO BE HELD MONDAY AT CLUBHOUSE

There will be a meeting of the Literature Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club, to be held at the Clubhouse on South First avenue Monday at 1:30 o'clock.

Mrs. F. C. Ingram, chairman, will preside, and Mrs. Edith Roberts will give the book review.

All new members of the club will be honored guests. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

### Sylvania Oak Arbor Is Setting for Luncheon

Members of the California History and Landmarks section met at the home of Mrs. E. Timerhoff on Genoa street, Wednesday afternoon of this week.

A 12:30 pot-luck luncheon was served in the oak arbor, after which guests enjoyed sitting under large shade trees. Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. J. M. MacFarlane, Mrs. Frank Hoagland, a charter member, and Mrs. Timerhoff gave interesting resumes of historical events.

Mrs. G. G. Meade, newly elected president of the Woman's' club, and her board were special guests. Others invited were members of the Garden and Literature section.

This session marked the last meeting for the summer session. Mrs. Timerhoff, newly appointed committee chairman, has already started arranging for next year's work.

## Varied Display of Rare Floral Plants Will be Exhibited at Tenth Annual Show To Be Held at Woman's Clubhouse Tues.

By MRS. NELLIE A. WHITE

The tenth annual Community Flower Show sponsored by the Garden Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club will be the center of attraction in Arcadia the coming week at the Clubhouse on South First avenue, Tuesday Nov. 10. As this is the tenth anniversary of this event every effort is being made to make it the most attractive and outstanding in the history of the organization.

Not only will gorgeous chrysanthemums of all shades and hues vie with delicately tinted but none the less beautiful roses but there will be displayed marvelous dahlias, and rare plants, shrubs and flowers of every known variety that can be grown in Arcadia's fertile soil and salubrious cimate.

Everybody is invited to inspect the displays and there is no entrance charge, it being an exhibition of friendly rivalry. In addition to plants and flowers there will be unique displays of fruit and vegetables as complete as those at a county fair, while the special floral arrangements including flower pictures in the Japanese style will attract all lovers of the beautiful. Entries of rare plants and flowers are especially solicited as this will be made an outstanding feature of the display. The largest finest and most complete collection of gourds in Southern California will be an added feature, and these are all grown by one of our own citizens. Also a beautiful display of Rex and other begonia's from "The Fox Begonia and Rare Plant Gardens of Arcadia."

Do not miss this exhibition of artistic merit and beauty as a cordial invitation is extended to everyone and there will be no charge for admittance but floral favors for all who attend with a special door prize for the one drawing the lucky number.

Other intriguing contests will afford entertainment for all and the musical program will be another added feature to be shared with the public.

Remember the day and date. Afternoon and evening of Tuesday, Nov. 10th. A cordial welcome to all.

## Department Chairmen Honored at Club Meeting

Members of the Woman's Club enjoyed another very successful meeting Wednesday afternoon when department chairmen were honored guests and seated at the speakers table with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade: Appointive officers: Mrs. Ardene Boller, parliamentarian; Mrs. Carl Randolph, historian; Mrs. Charles Dillingham, club hostess; Mrs. LeRoy Anderson, pianist; Mrs. Lyda Fiske, flag bearer.

District department chairmen to be honored are: Mrs. Ralph D. Sparks, handicraft; Mrs. Charles Willey, motion pictures; Mrs. F. H. White, legislation; Mrs. E. J. Shetler, American citizenship; Mrs. L. L. Moore, education; Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, California History and Landmarks; Mrs. A. N. Multer, Business and protective law; Mrs. Charles Stewart, international interests; Mrs. George Andrews, Indian welfare; Mrs. William G. Lewis, highway safety.

Chairmen of department sections are: Mrs. D Rose. athletic section; Mrs. F. H. White, garden section; Mrs. F. C. Ingram, literature section; Mrs. Cyril W. Shier, current events. Each officer was introduced and responded with a short talk.

Mrs. Frances Eugene Payne of the Euterpe Opera Reading Club and program chairman of the Los Angeles District Federation was the luncheon speaker. Mrs. Payne spoke on "Current Events."

Following the flag ceremony, a business meeting was called, at which time various chairmen submitted reports of activities. Mrs. Mary Roberts Moore, education chairman, announced that she attended a meeting at headquarters in Los Angeles last Wednesday. The Braille system was chosen as the topic for the first conference. Mrs. Moore told in detail about the seeing eye dog. Mrs. F. H. White, announced that plans for the flower show are going forward. The event will be held at the clubhouse Tuesday, Nov. 10 from 12 o'clock noon until evening. There will be a meeting today of the Athletic Section at the clubhouse at 10:30.

Mrs. Chambers gave a report of the Boy Scout Troop No. 5, sponsored by the club. It is the wish of the club to have the full membership of the troop completed in a short time. At present the troop is meeting in the bungalow on the school grounds on Santa Anita Avenue.

Fifteen members volunteered to serve on the committees for the dinner to be served to the members of the League of Municipalities of Southern Caifornia on November 19th at the; clubhouse. The dinners being served by the Woman's Club are becoming more and more popular.

For the afternoon program, Mrs. Wood Glover program chairman, introduced Miss Howard, blind opera singer, who pleased with several numbers, Miss Howard accompanied her own numbers.

The main speaker of the afternoon was Mr. Butler, manager of the Toastmasters Club, who is also blind, Mr. Butler gave a very inspiring talk. In part he stated: "Look about you and remember what you see, dont forget to learn what to do and what to say at the right time. One should find himself in order to live to be happy and to teach others how to see."

Luncheon was served to approximately 75 by the luncheon chairman, Mrs. Hugh Sanborn and her committee, Mrs. C. P. Catlin, Mrs. A. E. Gruben, Mrs. I. N. Kendall, Mrs. Mark Millspaugh, Mrs. J. A. Stoker and Mrs. C. R. Endicott. Each table was prettily decorated with bouquets of chrysanthemums.

Mrs. G. B. Watson was in charge of the decorations. Bouquets of pastel shades of chrysanthemums were prettily arranged in the auditorium. Mrs. Granville arranged a lovely bouquet for the presidents' desk.

Special guests at the club meeting were: Mrs. Horace Nichols and Mrs. C. Rishworth.

The meeting for Nov. 18 will feature new Members' day, when all the members who have joined the club since the beginning of the club year in June will be honored. The Chairman of the luncheon will be Mrs. Mae Shetler and those serving on her committee are: Mrs. Sally Angus, Mrs. Marie Chambers, Mrs. Frank Falconer, Mrs. Florence Knisley, Mrs. Cora King, Mrs. Florence Muller, Mrs. Bertha Thompson, Mrs. H. N. Rose.



# TO INSPECT FAMED RANCHO

### History Section, Friends To Tour Lucky Baldwin Homestead Friday

On Friday of this week, members of the California History and Landmarks Section of the Woman's Club and their friends, will be guests of the Los Angeles County chairman of the section, in a tour of the Santa Anita Rancho, Arcadia's leading landmark.

All local women interested in learning more about the spot Lucky Baldwin made famous are invited to join the pilgrimage, and meet at the Clubhouse on south First avenue at 10 o'clock. Transportation will be arranged, and the party will enter the ranch by gate 961 on Foothill Boulevard, at 10:30.

Lunches are to be carried, and a picnic enjoyed on the grounds, it was announced by Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman. The old coachhouse, the ranch-house, the scenic lake and the abundance of odd greenery will prove of great interest to all Arcadians who have never visited the place, and those who are planning a return trip.

Due to the fact that the regular meeting of the California History and Landmarks section falls on Wednesday, the tour will be substituted, and the November meeting skipped.

December 3, 1936

## Garden Section Meets Tuesday With Mrs. Noack

Although they have staged one of the most successful Flower Shows since their organization 10 years ago, members of the Garden Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club have not as yet held one of their regular meetings.

The first one for the 1936-37 year will be held next Tuesday, December 8, at the home of Mrs. C. F. Noack, 515 LeRoy avenue, wth the president, Mrs. F. H. White, calling the meeting to order at 2 o'clock.

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# HISTORICAL FILM SHOWN

## Members Hear "Echoes From Past" As Presidents Are Honored At Club

With pre-Christmas gayety predominating in the red berries, arranged about the club auditorium, and in the bright bouquets and colorful bowls of fruit on the tables, past President's of the Arcadia Woman's Club on Wednesday were honored guests, and sat with Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, at the head table.

As they were introduced by Mrs. Meade, each responded in gracious manner with accounts of happenings, lingering, from their own years of service up to the present day. Present yesterday were Mrs. Nellie Pickard, Mrs. Maye Dunham, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. Bertha Lewis, Mrs. Mattie Peck, Mrs. G. G. Meade, Mrs. Marion Pike, Mrs. Jessie Stewart and Mrs. Ella Mae Byrne.

Mrs. Marie Swanson, Mrs. Thomas Grant, Mrs. Thomas Reynolds, Mrs. D. T. Lawrence and Mrs. Hilda Chatterson were guests of clubmembers.

An invitation was read, from the Michillinda Woman's Club for the local women to attend the annual flower show, to be held on December 19. Members were urged to bring "white elephant" gifts to the local clubhouse for a rummage sale to be put on by the Los Angeles District Federation, and for the Rio Hondo Old Folk's Home.

At the afternoon program period, a talking film was presented by the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, depicting the evolution of transportation from covered wagon days to the present time.

The next meeting of the club will be strictly social, and will take the form of a Christmas party. Members will exchange gifts, according to an announcement made by Mrs. Charles Warner, social chairman, in charge of the affair.

On Wednesday, cream and milk for the luncheon, prepared by Mrs. Dan Rose and her committee, was furnished by the Golden State company. A representative gave a demonstration of the new type bottle now in use by the firm.

Mrs. John Granville was responsible for the lovely decorative scheme.

, DEC. 10, 1936

## Two Southland Clubwomen Reported Ready to Make Race for Major State Offices; Active Campaigning Event

Two honored past presidents of Los Angeles district, California Federation of Women's Clubs, have announced their intention of becoming candidates for a state office.

Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson, of South Pasadena, announces she has been indorsed by her own club for the position of first vice-president in the state federation. And she has definitely decided to make the race, win or lose, contest or no contest, she says.

Mrs. Howard U. Sherwood has for sometinme been mentioned as a popular choice of many women for the office of state treasurer.

According to precedent, only one of these two major offices may in all likelihood go to one district.

Both women's names will undoubtedly be submitted to the state nominating board, however, in due time.

Several Los Angeles leaders in clubdom opine that group will report out only one of the two names when it makes up the state ticket.

Both women are well known in this district, as well as in the state. Mrs. Howard U. Sherwood is just completing a long term as trustee in the state. Mrs. Hudson is community contact chairman in the state. Her friends state she is the only district president who stepped aside at the close of her term instead of going on into the state in some office. They say that Mrs. Hudson refrained from coming out for vice president at large in 1935 because Alameda wanted the office. Now her friends said she is entitled to seek a state office.

It is understood Alameda is the only district in the California federation which has not this year indicated its desire to support a woman from its own section for a state office. It is believed by Mrs. Hudson's backers that Alameda will not now attempt to oppose her in any race she may make at the spring elections.

Failing endorsement of the district board, Mrs. Hudson had planned to carry her case to the unit clubs. But now that the district has withheld endorsement of either woman, both Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. Sherwood will be compelled to do this, it is said.

This move, a democratic one, it is claimed, will constitute a first step in an effort to prevent the so-called "handing around of offices" in the state. Individual clubs and individual members are believed to have a better chance thus to name their choices for the favored high places in the organization.

The board's endorsement of Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president at this week's business meeting at hearquarters, 2103 South Hobart boulevard, Los Angeles, was a fore-gone conclusion. She is not expected to have any opposition.

December 10, 1936

# WILL AID LOS ANITOS HOME

## Woman's Club Joins In Bringing Christmas Joy To Aged At County Institution

At their next meeting in celebration of the Christmas holiday to be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, members of the Arcadia Woman's Club will bring gifts for their 'adopted friends," the aged people living at the Los Anitos Rancho in Rio Hondo. Last year, a delegation of local women took 163 articles to the County institution, and in recalling the joy seen on the faces of the recipients as the gifts were distributed, the Arcadians state that "they wouldn't miss the trip this year for the world."

Twenty-seven hundred men and women, entirely dependent on Los Angeles County for shelter and food . . . some of them bedridden for the rest of their lives . . are aided each Christmas by clubs of the C.F.W.C. Postage stamps are one of the items needed by those in the home, and the elderly ladies are delighted with yarn for knitting, embroidery accessories, sewing implements, comfy slippers and old fashioned "hug-me-tites." The men appreciate tobacco, socks and slippers, handkerchiefs, pocket knives, and trinkets with which they may while away leisure hours, after a hard day of work on the farm.

Mrs. Betty Warner, social chairman, is in charge of the party, and Mrs. Elsie Murfett and Mrs. Florence Newell are assisting her. Mrs. M. M. Trew will lead the assemblage in singing Christmas carols prior to the exchange of gifts among members and the donations for Los Anitos. A social hour and tea will close the meeting.

December 1, 1936

## Literature Section Convenes Monday Afternoon

Monday afternoon at 1:30, members of the Literature Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club will gather for their regular session at the clubhouse. Mrs. Edith B. Roberts will review her December list of books.

## Garden Section Members Given Dainty Year Book

Holding their December meeting at the home of Mrs. C. F. Noack on LeRoy avenue, members of the Garden Section of the Woman's Club were given a copy of the year's program in the form of a dainty booklet, made by the chairman, Mrs. F. H. White, as a souvenir of the tenth anniversary of the section.

"Lilies—History of, varieties and place in the garden"—was the subject handled by Miss Grace McCurdy. Timely reminders for the month were given by Mrs. Bertha Thompson and the regular question box and "department of garden lore" were conducted by the chairman.

Mrs. Noack and Mrs. Verona Young served tasty refreshments at the close of the afternoon. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. LeRoy Anderson, 474 W. Duarte road on January 26.

## Woman's Club Directors Discuss Forming Junior Group

Meeting before the Christmas party Wednesday, directors of the Woman's Club discussed the possibility of forming a junior group. Mrs. John A. Renshaw, Mrs. W. E. Larsh and Mrs. Keith Beanston were appointed a committee to make plans for the organization of such an annex.

Definite results of their study will be announced in the very near future, according to the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade.

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Mrs. R. N. Willisford, who has recently returned from a trip around the world, will address the Bible division, Los Angeles District Federation of Women's Clubs, upon the subject, "Churches and Shrines of All Nations," tomorrow.

Other features upon the program will be Mrs. Martha Judy, soloist, and Christian citizenship and religious current events, under the direction of Mrs. Mary Elder and Mrs. J. Max Lee.

The meeting will be held at headquarters, with Mrs. Dorsey McBride, presiding.

December 17, 1936

# CLUB ENJOYS XMAS PARTY

## Informality Theme Of Colorful Affair Given Wednesday At Arcadia Woman's Club

The spirit of informality which holds forth at the Christmas season, reigned Wednesday when members of the Woman's Club gathered for their holiday party at the clubhouse on South First avenue. Scheduled for 2 o'clock, the affair was in charge of Mrs. Charles Warner, chairman of the social committee, Mrs. John Murfett and Mrs. C. L. Newell.

Following a brief business session with Mrs. G. G. Meade, presiding, Mrs. M. M. Trew led the assemblage in singing a group of well-loved Christmas carols, with Mrs. Leroy Anderson at the piano. All enjoyed a reading, "The Legend of the Christmas Rose," given by Mrs. George Andrews. More carols followed, and then, with Mrs. Ardene Boller acting as Madame Santa Claus, the gifts were exchanged.

The dainty presents, all wrapped, were piled about a decorated Christmas tree which centered a long table in the middle of the club room. Tall red tapers were at either end of the table, and red berries added further attraction. Miss Emily Faulkner, responsible for the lovely decorative scheme, used poinsettias and two gorgeous bouquets of Hadley roses at other spots in the room.

Gifts for the residents of Los Anitos home in Rio Hondo were given to Mrs. J. C. Kaskel, welfare chairman, who spoke on the needs of the aged inmates. She announced the trip to the home, to take place next Monday morning. All desiring to go are to be at the clubhouse promptly at 10 a.m., each bringing sandwiches for lunch. Those who did not take gifts to the clubhouse Wednesday may bring them Monday or leave them at the home of Mrs. Kaskel or Mrs. Meade before then.

At the business meeting, Mrs. Gertrude Schenck presented the colors in the absence of Mrs. Lyda Fiske, flag-bearer, and the president spoke of the passing of Miss Ollie Palmer, telling of her enthusiastic club work, work in the church and her unselfish assistance with civic ventures.

Following, at the close of the afternoon, tea was served from a table set entirely in silver service and white candles. Mrs. W. E. Tussing and Mrs. H. E. Moss poured.

December 2, 1936

# MANY ATTEND C. C. DINNER AT CLUBHOUSE

## Field Secretary Of All-Year Club Brings Interesting Message

## OVER 80 ATTEND AFFAIR

## Daniels Re-Elected Director Of C. C.; King, Smith Morris Also Named

Meeting in the Woman's Club house Tuesday evening, members of the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce and their guests listened to a very interesting talk by Charles A. Horrworth, secretary of the Southern California All-Year Club. His theme was the fact that every taxpayer of the southland was a partner in the exploitation of the tourist trade to California and that the dividends received from our visitors was enormous.

Another point that Horrworth brought out was the fact that Arcadia, more than ever before, is being benefitted by the advertising that the Queen City now receives from the Santa Anita Race Track and Parker Lyon's Pony Express Museum.

Following the 6:30 dinner which was served by the members of the Arcadia Women's club, President Bert Daniels called for a vote on the election of four new directors for the local chamber. Those elected were Albert L. Daniels, Dr. T. Howard Smith, Ambrosy King, and Earl Morris.

The directors will meet at the next regular C. of C. meeting, which will be held Dec. 17, and elect the president and secretary for the coming year.

Following the speech of Horrworth, W. Parker Lyon kept the gathering of more than eighty people amused with his brand of dry humor that has made him an outstanding character of the entire West Coast.

President Daniels explained the plans of the Chamber on the New Years float in which a contest will be held by the merchants to select a girl to portray the role of "Evangeline."

Entertainment during the dinner hour was furnished by Morris Cole, young pianist, Clifford Flagstaff, accordian player, and Miss Betty Moore, dancer.

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# SUPPORT OF FEDERATION WORK BY JUNIORS DELIGHTS CHAIRMAN

## Suggestions for New Year to Be Reported at Executive Session in Washington

To Mrs. E. W. Shirk of Redlands, national chairman of juniors in the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the holiday season is particularly happy because of the 100 per cent co-operation of juniors throughout the United States in the great education, civic, social and philanthropic program of women's clubs.

This, her Christmas message to juniors, includes a forecast of greater interest, for juniors are sending their suggestions for 1937 to Mrs. Shirk who will report them to the General Federation executive session at Washington, D. C., in January.

**TRADITIONAL DINNER**

Tomorrow the traditional annual big sister and little sister Christmas program of the Juniors of Catholic Women's Club will be held at the clubhouse. An evening dinner; an original skit presented by Catherine Connolly and gifts will be the highlights. On the program are Misses May Lois Walker, Eleanor Devin, president; Mercedes and Olga Arnold, Agnes Hiss, Rita Heiser, Ann Devereaux, Marcella Valencourt, Carmine Morrell, Margaret Riley, Adelaide Wagner and Julia Foley.

Hollywood Opera Reading Club Juniors will present a fifteenth century pantomime at the home of Mrs. Jason Joy in Bel-Air tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. when senior executives will be honor guests. Mrs. C. Thiel Sullivan, program chairman, will present in the cast Mmes. David T. Staples, Evelyn Wilton, Glenn Green and Arthur G. Kussman, Misses Ruth Patterson, Dorothy Thorpe, Katherine Huston and Lucy May Story. Carolers will be Mmes. Milton P. Collins, Harold Clark, Donald Harwood, Monica Johnson, M. V. Neumann, William Pohl and Ira W. Robie and Misses Dorine Treate, Nelda Olsen and Ione Hammersley. Mrs. William Du Voisin will accompany at the piano. Assisting hostesses will be Mmes. Mark Farra, Milton P. Collins; Misses Dorothy Thorpe and Nelda Olsen.

**JUNIORS TO COMPETE**

Competing with senior clubwomen, juniors of Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs will participate in the contest for the handsomest Christmas tree and table decorations to be shown at the House and Garden Exhibit beginning Tuesday and continuing until January 1. Mrs. Arthur L. Shellhorn is general chairman.

Scrapbooks, handmade dolls and toys, clothing and food for the underprivileged child were wrapped at the Christmas party of the Wilshire Juniors at the home of Mrs. Harold Power in South Dunsmuir with Mrs. William Winchester, chairman. An evening program and buffet supper were enjoyed.

**GUESTS OF D.A.R.**

Among guests at the Juniors of the Eschscholtzia Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, were Misses Joyce Adams, Virginia Black, Ruth Bumpas, Mildred Calloway, Monona Campbell, Hallie Couch, Jane Day, Barbara Donnell, Anita Hege, Marjorie Hege, Amelia Hughes, Ruth E. Miller, Alene Smith and Eleanor Woods, Mmes. Howard Pendleton Alexander, Donald Campbell, M. G. Harrison, George Higgins, Richard Murray, Mae Myers, Frederick Nelson, Donald Squires, Alton P. Stich and James Whiting.

Mrs. David Day of Hollywoodland, assisted by Mrs. Ann Gilmore-Wright, was hostess at the Junior Auxiliary, Los Angeles

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## Federation Astir Over Elections

### Rival Candidacies Arouse Strong Feeling Between Districts

BY CRETE CAGE

Indignation and amazement were expressed among many leaders of Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs yesterday at the official announcement of the candidacy of Mrs. George Rigg of Oakland, Alameda district, for the office of vice-president to succeed Mrs. Thomas Richards of Chico at the Coronado convention May 13 to 15.

A rumor that such action would be taken by Mrs. Rigg was discounted here since she enters the race in opposition to Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson, past Los Angeles district president, who stepped aside two years ago so that Mrs. Rigg might be unopposed as vice-president-at-large. That the action is the result of hierarchy influence of the "old guard" on the State executive board is asserted by many.

**INDORSEMENTS ARRIVING**

Mrs. Hudson has been urged by many local clubs to announce


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**Family Leaves for Mexico City**

Mrs. E. A. Edmonds and daughter, Miss Beatrice Edmonds, left Friday for Mexico City, for the holidays with Mr. Edmonds and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gildred and their two children. Miss Edmonds will sail later from Vera Cruz for New York City.

Mrs. ... and aunt, Brig.-Gen. ... Douglas C. McDougal of Coronado, is returning east for Christmas.

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# CLUB MEETS JANUARY 6TH

## District Chairman Of History And Landmarks Slated For Woman's Club Program

Forgetting their club duties and pleasures during the rush of the holiday season, members of the Arcadia Woman's Club will open the new year in gala fashion with a meeting on Wednesday, January 6. Gathering at 12:30, they will enjoy a luncheon prepared by Miss Dorothy Doubledee, a food demonstrator, of Los Angeles. The regular reservation fee will be charged. During the luncheon hour, current event chairman, Mrs. Cyril W. Shier, will discuss several topics of interest.

Following the 2 o'clock business meeting with the president, Mrs. G. G. Mead presiding, Mrs. M. M. Trew will lead in group singing. The afternoon's program, in charge of Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman of the California History and Landmarks section of the club, will feature a talk on "The Mother Lode Country," given by Mrs. John White, chairman of the California History and Landmarks division of the Los Angeles District Federation. The talk concerns the northern section of California.

Mrs. Chester R. Endicott is in charge of decorating the club rooms for the occasion and the door committee consists of Mrs. Albert Angus, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. Raymond Kingsley and Mrs. Fred Johnsen.

A capacity attendance is anticipated.

## Federation Meetings Slated For Next Week

Two conferences of interest to members of the Arcadia Woman's Club, scheduled to take place next week, were announced today by Mrs. P. E. Willis, press chairman of the Los Angeles District Federation.

The discussion of laws affecting women as provided by conferences of the Business and Protective Law Division has been not only interesting but most instructive. At the meeting to be conducted by Mrs. George Schuetz of Monrovia, Chairman, on Thursday, January 7, at 10:30 a.m. at Federation headquarters, the discussion will center about life insurance, with Rudolph Weideman speaking on "Life Insurance—the Legal Side."

Mr. Weideman is a chartered life insurance underwriter and secretary of the Co-ordinating Council and is well qualified to speak on this subject. Mrs. Bess Smith will give a 10-minute talk on "Banking."

Mrs. W. C. Parcher, District Chairman of Indian Welfare, is presenting another interesting speaker at the afternoon conference of her division, scheduled for 1 o'clock Thursday, also at headquarters. This speaker is Mrs. Edith V. A. Murphy, State Chairman of Indian Welfare, of Covelo, California. Mrs. Murphy has resided at the Hoopa reservation for many years. Finding it necessary for her health to spend much time out of doors, she took up the occupation of commercial seed gatherer. Mrs. Murphy has taught her Indian friends how to gather, clean and pack seed and makes many long rides on horseback in quest of seeds and roots. Concluding the program, reports of Christmas activities will be given by chairmen.

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## Will Attend Mexican Christmas Celebration Next Week

Members of the California History and Landmarks section of the Woman's Club are planning to visit Olvera street in Los Angeles, Wednesday, December 30, when the Mexican Christmas celebration will be held.

They will join approximately 200 county chairmen for the trek, arriving in Los Angeles promptly at 11 a.m., according to the local chairman, Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff. The program features a typical Mexican luncheon, served in one of the picturesque restaurants, a program of dances, vocalists and other entertainment, including the Christmas observance.

All Arcadians, whether members of the California History and Landmarks section or not, are invited to enjoy the day, and reservations may be made with the chairman, whose phone number is 2593, by December 28. Fifty-two cents covers the entire trip.

# CLUB STARTS BRIDGE SERIES

## Mrs. Charles Willey General Chairman Of Parties; To Commence Wednesday

On Wednesday of this week, the Woman's Club of Arcadia will sponsor the first in a series of forthcoming bridge parties, it has been announced by Mrs. Charles Willey, appointed general chairman of the affairs by the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade. Due to a recent severe illness, Mrs. Willey's assistance in social undertakings has been greatly missed this year, and it is with pleasure that the members welcome her return.

The first party, a dessert-bridge, is open to the public at 25 cents a person, and will commence at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Willey informs Arcadians who like to play bridge, but would "rather sit by the fire" during the cold weather, that they can do both at Wednesday's affair, for there will be a roaring fire in the open grate, to keep the clubroom cozy. Prizes will be awarded for winners at both contract and auction, the chairman announced; scores will be tabulated, and at the end of the party series, lovely grand prizes will be given. Arcadians who have received an award given by Mrs. Willey in the past, know that all her prizes are worth striving for.

For Wednesday's party, Mrs. Eugene Harpole is chairman of the committee in charge of distributing prizes. Mrs. Lulu Reynolds heads the playing committee and Mrs. A. L. Daniels the dessert committee. Mrs. A. R. Chambers and her door

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# JUNIOR WORKERS SET HIGH STANDARD FOR PHILANTHROPIC ACTIVITIES

## SPEAKS TO LOCAL CLUBWOMEN

Marye Shannon Harrington, who yesterday completely won over a large assemblage of women at the first autumn meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club, with her charming talk on "The Art of Living"

## Federation Will Be Feted

### Club of Good Cheer to Hostess Meeting

Departing from custom, members of the institutions and philanthropy department of Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs will be luncheon guests of the Club of Good Cheer tomorrow for the regular meeting.

Organized with a charter membership of thirty-five, the club in eight years has helped more than 500 families, distributed 650 layettes, made and distributed 350 large new quilts, supplied 700 grocery orders and provided several thousand garments for the needy. Mrs. Bessie Edouart, president, will tell how the club is maintained without club dues.

Mrs. Robert Chandler will preside and will present H. A. Ecclestone of the Rotary Club and Judge E. J. Milne, speakers after luncheon. Also of note tomorrow will be a display of handmade rugs at district headquarters at the handcrafts section meeting. Mrs. Ralph T. Henderson, chairman, will be hostess at luncheon and will supervise wood-carving and pottery making in the afternoon.

Burdens of the California taxpayer will be discussed at the legislation meeting Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Architects' Building. Mrs. J. E. Munger will present James Mussatti and a speaker on the Social Security Act. Work of co-ordinating councils will be featured at the education department Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. at headquarters. Mrs. James A. Creighto speak and Miss Mary V Morris will preside.

## One Group Adopts Blind Woman for Year

Senior clubwomen will be forced to quicken their welfare tempo if they match work of the juniors.

Substantial checks, thousands of garments, pounds and pounds of food, layettes, garments to the Needlework Guild, talking books for the blind, toys for children and innumerable acts of kindness were reported by the young women at the first 1937 meeting of Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs Juniors at district headquarters last week.

**ANNIVERSARY FETE**

Mrs. E. P. Oldham, district adviser, presided with Miss Betty Willits, vice-president. Miss Meryl Hale, president, is recovering from influenza.

The young women celebrated the thirty-seventh anniversary of the State federation and a big, lighted birthday cake adorned the supper table. Miss Esther Howlett was appointed the new chairman of talking books for the blind, the major national junior project. Another national project, the penny art fund, is adopted and the chairman will soon be appointed.

Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president, was honor guest speaker. She told of the founding of women's clubs more than forty years ago and commended the young women for outstanding achievements. Plans were announced for the annual entertainment at Rancho Los Amigos January 29. Miss Virginia [illegible] Women's [illegible] other officials.

## Executive Head Named

### Civic Conference Held on S.C. Campus

Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, vice-president of Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs, was announced as executive chairman yesterday of the seventh annual Women's Civic Conference.

Under auspices of the University of Southern California, the conference is held on the university campus sponsored by the school of government. Acting Dean W. Ballentine Henley conducted a committee planning meeting yesterday and the conference date was set for April 8.

Last year more than 700 women representatives of clubs and other organizations attended. Officials from State, county and city governments joined with educators to discuss current affairs of government. A like procedure will prevail this year.

### Citizenship Training Su Of Conference

It has often been said that [illegible] ralized citizen is the best [illegible] Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, president of Los Angeles D California Federation of Wo Clubs, will speak on this subj the conference of the citize training division on Tuesday, uary 5, at 10 a.m., in the Archi Building of headquarters.

Mrs. C. G. Weaver, vice-chair will give the history of the "America." A luncheon will f the program. Mrs. Etta Reich is county chairman of the divi

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# CLUB SESSION ON WEDNESDAY

## Mother Daughter Day Theme Next Club Meeting; Comm. Hartley To Speak

Members of the Arcadia Woman's Club are planning to entertain their daughters or their mothers when the annual Mother-Daughter Day is celebrated at the luncheon-meeting, next Wednesday.

Mrs. William Lewis, chairman of the luncheon, urges all who are planning to attend, to make reservations with her, with Mrs. LeRoy Anderson or Mrs. Laura Hostutler.

Mrs. Cyril W. Shier will again bring her period of current events, proving so popular with club members. Commodore Herbert Hartley, former Commander of the S.S. Leviathan, will bring the afternoon program under the title, "Thrilling Tales of the Sea."

Many stories such as the free-for-all battles between the firemen on the ship and fights between sword-fish and whale will thrill his audience.

Mrs. Bruce Douglas, Mrs. Hart Browne, Mrs. Grant Corby and Mrs. George Pope are the door committee for the next meeting, and Mrs. Tracy Phelps is in charge of decorations.

# Clubwomen Urge Mrs. Wallace Be Kept on Prison Bd.

Los Angeles District, California Federation of Women's Clubs, today petitioned Governor Frank F. Merriam to reappoint Mrs. Ernest B. Wallace of Alhambra to the board of trustees of Tehachapi Prison for Women.

Mrs. Wallace's term expired yesterday, and local clubwomen and members of the League of Women Voters are seeking her reappointment. Other members of the board, the majority of which must be women, are Mrs. E. W. Gillis of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Anna Law of the League of Women Voters, Judge T. E. Harvey of the San Quentin board and Lotus Loudon, newspaper publisher.

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# Clubs Given Praise by Dr. Sproul

By CAROLINE WALKER

Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul, president of the University of California, told the Presidents' Council of the District Federation of Women's Clubs, at its January session, that women's clubs are one of the most important of adult education.

Dr. Sproul was a "surprise speaker" on a program which presented Rev. Hugh S. Duce, president of Loyola University; Dr. George Cox of U.C.L.A. and Dean Helen Mathewson Laughlin, dean of women at the university.

The council celebrated the district's thirty-seventh birthday, and was presided over by Mrs. Will Lee Austin. A feature of the meeting was the wishing well into which club presidents deposited not only their birthday gifts to the district, but also contributions toward the big rummage sale which will take place next month.

Dr. Sproul warned the women against rushing into resolutions or action of public matters, unless they first thoroughly inform themselves.

**"Yours is the responsibility of seeing that educational foundations are not used or distorted for undesirable propaganda," he said.**

Dr. Duce outlined the history of the Legion of Decency and its effort in cleaning up motion pictures, with a consequent emphasis on art and culture.

**"Lasting success is impossible to the purveyors of the obscene," he declared. "American people are fundamentally moral and decent."**

Dean Laughlin told of the fine work done by university students who are putting themselves through college. Declaring that she spoke not in defense but in praise of the younger generation she stated their severest critics are the people who know nothing about them.

**"We can't think for our young people or live their lives for them," she said. "All we can do is to try to form standards by which they can meet life. We ask for a 1937 model automobile, but we want a 1900 model girl—and we have the 1338 model!"**

Mrs. Charles Bogue, literature chairman, in sparkling rhyme; Mrs. Doris West, drama chairman; Mrs. Oscar S. Elvrum, federation secretary; Mrs. Paxton Lytle, highway safety chairman; Mrs. George Hotz, art chairman; Mrs. C. H. Oneal, international relations chairman, and Mrs. J. F. Breen, motion picture chair-

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## Mothers, Daughters Feted At Woman's Club Tomorrod

Members of the Arcadia Woman's Club will entertain their mothers or their daughters at tomorrow's meeting, when Mother-Daughter Day is celebrated. Mrs. William Lewis, Mrs. LeRoy Anderson and Mrs. Laura Hostutler are still taking reservations for the 12:30 luncheon.

The afternoon program will be given by Commodore Herbert Hartley, former commander of the S.S. Leviathan.

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## Literature Section To Meet At Clubhouse Monday

Mrs. Edith B. Roberts will review a selection of new and popular books at the regular meeting of the Literature Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club, scheduled for 1:30 Monday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Ingram, chairman of the division, is in charge of the meeting.

January 6, 1937

# GIVE PROGRAM FOR COUNCIL

## Arcadians Will Attend 37th Birthday Celebration Of Club Federation

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, and several members, are planning to attend the all-day session when Los Angeles District Federation celebrates its thirty-seventh birthday on January 15. The conclave will be held in Royce Hall, University of California at Los Angeles, in Westwood Hills, the Woman's Club of Westwood Hills, Mrs. Walter Egan Toole, president, acting hostess club. Many surprises are being planned for the entertainment of hundreds of federated clubwomen who will attend the Council.

Mrs. Will Lee Austin, District President, will call the meeting to order at 10 a.m. Departments to be featured during the morning session are: Drama, Literature, Federation Extension, Highway Safety. On the period allotted to the Highway Safety Division, Mrs. Paxton Lytle, chairman, will present Mr. George Stinson, "the singing cop" who has entertained so many groups throughout the district.

Mrs. Oscar S. Elvrum, Federation Extension chairman, will have as her speaker, Dean Galen Mathewson Laughlin of the University. Appearing also on the morning program will be Mr. Arch Bailey, baritone, and Roderick Krohn, young violinist.

Following the luncheon recess, Mrs. R. J. Morrison, director of the Bay area, will direct the ceremony of the "Wishing Well," through which clubs in Los Angeles district will present their birthday gifts of money to the Federation maintenance fund.

Divisions to be presented during the afternoon are: Art, International Interests, Motion Pictures. Mrs. C. H. Oneal, chairman of international interests, will give a review of the Institute of World Affairs held in Riverside in December, and to which Mrs. Oneal was a delegate.

As the speaker for the Motion Picture division, Mrs. James F. Breen, chairman, will present Rev. John J. Devlin, advisor to M.G.M. and other studios when questions of a religious nature in motion pictures are under discussion. Father Devlin will have as his subject, "What the Legion of Decency has done for Better Motion Pictures.' With so many motion-picture stars residing in Westwood Hills, it is expected that several will be introduced from the platform.

Westwood Hills has many fine stores, and during the luncheon hour the merchants will welcome visitors to their establishments.

A delightful feature of the afternoon program will be a period of organ music, with Dr. Alexander Schreiner at the console.

Reservations for luncheon should be made promptly with Mrs. Charles T. OReilly, 1225 S. Van Ness avenue, Los Angeles, ROchester 5802.

# DEAN REVEALS CRUEL PRIVATIONS OF AMBITIOUS STUDENTS AT U.C.L.A.

## Co-eds Spend Dollar a Week for Food

BY CRETE CAGE

Cruel privations of women students at the University of California at Los Angeles revealed yesterday at the Los Angeles District California Federation of Women's Clubs presidents' council, shocked more than 2000 women who packed Royce Hall.

Dean Helen Matthewson Laughlin said: "In interviews last year I discovered that there are many girls here spending only $1 a week for food. Many walk from Santa Monica and back each day because they cannot afford the bus fare. There are 300 young women here who have jobs and are working their way through school. But 777 others are seeking and must have jobs."

**BETTER RECORDS**

The student working her way through school rates higher scholarships than the sorority students, Dean Laughlin revealed. "Believe in these young people of today!" appealed the dean. "People are not fair. We hear of auto wrecks, drunkenness, misconduct and read those things in the papers all the time. It is only the few who do those things." Most of the talking against youth, she said, is by the people who know the least.

"We who deal with thousands of girls certainly have a theory and a right to express it," she said with emphasis, receiving prolonged applause. "Young people of today are unsurpassed. Of course, times have changed but our young people are not responsible for the world they find themselves in," defended Dean Laughlin.

**NEW FREEDOM**

The trouble with the majority of elders, she declared, is that "you want the 1937 automobile but want the 1900 girl. Our's today are the 1938 girls. Help them to establish ideals that will guide them in their new freedom." Sentimentality, force and thinking for the youth will not aid them in building standards, she added.

Elaborate preparations for the event welcoming women from the six counties of Los Angeles district were like a long-planned convention and were exquisite in detail. Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul, president of the university, welcomed the women as fellow educational administrators. He contrasted the education of the youth with that of the adult, the latter having little time for fact-finding.

**HASTE DEPLORED**

Warning against hasty actions and hasty resolutions in matters of import, Dr. Sproul said, "The more questionable the project, the more consideration should be given. It is your responsibility to see that your platforms are not used for questionable motives. If universities and women's clubs work together on finding facts, we will give a lasting contribution to all our lives," he said.

Little Shirley Littell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin J. Littell of Westwood, assisted Mrs. Walter Egan Toole, president of Westwood Hills Wo[illegible]

TROOP 5 - Even though our Troop is only two months old, we have a group of twelve boys, four of whom are Scouts, all eager to get a flying start on their scouting careers. Our Scoutmaster, Mr. A. Berkompas, assisted by Mr. Clarence Cassady, awarded Tenderfoot badges to the following: Lynn Crowell, Russell Randolph, Theodore Berkompas, and Robert Richardson on January 12, 1937. Mr. Cassady, a Life Scout of Troop 7, Monrovia, is acting as Assistant Scoutmaster until the Troop gets better organized. Howard Borden was appointed bugler and treasurer and Theodore Berkompas elected scribe. At the last meeting we chose our Troop colors. We decided upon the combination of a gold border on a green background.

The Troop's only trip was to the Scout Cabin for a weiner bake. Our Troop committee chairman and a few members of our sponsoring organization, The Arcadia Women's Club, were present. As may be expected, our Troop is too small to be divided into patrols, but we're not out of the running yet. In fact, we are just getting started. Give us time!

(This is the first write-up submitted by Robert Richardson, the newly appointed Assistant Editor of the Scout Bugle, to represent Troop 5. He is a splendid fellow and we know that he will advance rapidly in Scouting.)

Friday

THE ALTADENA WOMAN'S CLUB

Altadena, California January 29 1937

Dear Mrs Meade:

You and a member of your club, are cordially invited to attend our Hungarian Music program and Reciprocity Tea at 2 o'clock February twenty sixth at the Recreation Building 3385 No Lake Ave.

Altadena Woman's Club
Mrs Alfredd Morrell
Pres

R.S.V.P.
Mrs Lee Freese Jr.
725 Figueroa Dr. Pasadena

# Society and Clubs

PHONE ITEMS TO ARCADIA 2131

## COUNTY GROUP HAS MEETING

### Historic Olvera Street Scene Of Affair Given Wednesday By Landmarks Section

Mrs. R. H. Schwarzkopf, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff and Mrs. John Murfett joined approximately 200 women of Los Angeles County, as they met in Olvera Street's picturesque La Golondrina Cafe for a session of the California History and Landmarks section of the C.F.W.C. on Wednesday.

A complete Mexican luncheon was enjoyed and was followed by a typically Spanish program of vocal numbers and dances, with the Christmas celebration as a climax. Senora Bonza, hostess of the famed cafe for the past 12 years, presented her troupe of artists, all in colorful costume. Following the program, Mrs. Oscar Elvrum, former chairman of the county division of the California History and Landmarks groups was drawn to the center of the floor, and with fitting ceremonial was paid honor by Senora Bona, in lieu of Mrs. Elvrum's birthday.

After telling a thrilling history of a pottery basin, used for many years in church rites, the hostess presented it to Mrs. Elvrum as a gift.

Many Federation notables were present and were introduced by County Chairman Mrs. John Q. Adams, among them Mrs. John Stearns Thayer. An inspection of the shops in Olvera Street concluded the afternoon.

**January 21, 1937**

Next Thursday, January 26, the Garden Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. LeRoy Anderson, 474 West Duarte Road. Calling the meeting for 1:30, Mrs. F. H. White, chairman, urges members to come prepared to participate in an open forum discussion on unusual facts about trees, the general subject of the afternoon.

**President**

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, who will preside over the first session of 1937, when the members gather at the clubhouse on South First avenue, Wednesday, January 6.

## CLUB HEARS TALES OF SEA

### Fifty Eight Celebrate Mother-Daughter Day At Local Woman's Club

Commodore Herbert Hartley's talk on "Thrilling Tales of the Sea" which he presented Wednesday at the Arcadia Woman's Club, proved to be a gold mine of information, interest and humor. Stating that he had crossed the Atlantic 860 times from a deck hand up through the office of Commodore, before he ever crossed as a passenger, Hartley opened his afternoon program. He told of the many famous people with whom he had associated in his life, and stated that King Albert of Belgium and America's Will Rogers were two of his best-loved passengers.

He enumerated the many types of work a captain is called on to do, told of disputes to be settled; of a fight between a whale and sword-fish and of fires aboard ship. Stories of his work aboard the St. Louis, changed from a sail-boat to a steamboat for service in the World War, were most interesting.

Mrs. Cyril W. Shier, in charge of current events, presented Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, who spoke on the advances of science in transforming the soy bean into everything from food to automobile accessories. Mrs. Hugh Sanborn spoke of the new "fats reduction program" inaugurated January 1 in Germany, and Mrs. Shier told of the President's trip to South America and what it accomplished.

There were fifty-eight mothers and daughters present for the luncheon, served under the chairmanship of Mrs. William Lewis.

## SLATE FIRST 1937 SESSION

### Mrs. John White Scheduled To Speak Before Assemblage Of Club Women

Those in charge of the first meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club for 1937 are looking forward to a capacity attendance, as the members gather after a gay Christmas holiday, during which time club affairs were eliminated.

Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman of the California History and Landmarks section, will present Mrs. John White, chairman of the Los Angeles district division, who will speak on "The Mother Lode Country," concerning the northern part of the State.

Luncheon worries have been eliminated for this initial meeting, in that Miss Dorothy Doubledee, a food demonstrator of Los Angeles, will prepare and serve the meal at 12:30. The usual fee will be charged. Mrs. Cyril W. Shier, chairman of the current event division, will discuss topics of interest during the luncheon hour, and Mrs. M. M. Trew will lead community singing.

At 2 o'clock, plans for the remainder of the club year will be discussed at the business meeting, with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade presiding.

To our President:

Three times you have stood at the helm of our club work, you have been given three years of faithful, fearless leadership. To you goes the award of earnest and sincere service.

Award at luncheon at Home of Mrs Mae Elsner May 1937

**January 7, 1937**

## SIXTY FIVE ATTEND CLUB

### History, Landmarks Chairman In Charge of Program; Special Luncheon

Sixty-five members and guests of the Arcadia Woman's Club enjoyed a tasty luncheon prepared by Miss Dorothy Doubledee, on Wednesday, commencing their regular meeting, the first for 1937. Miss Doubledee, a food demonstrator of Los Angeles, awarded prizes of foodstuffs to various women of the club, after she demonstrated a variety of products used in preparing the meal. Mrs. M. M. Trew, Mrs. Fred Miller, Mrs. Robert Ferrante and Mrs. J. L. Kohler assisted with the luncheon.

Mrs. Cyril W. Shier, current-event chairman, introduced Mrs. Carl Randolph, who spoke on "Public Health;" Mrs. Fred Johnsen, on "Recent Accomplishments of Science," and Mrs. J. E. Brown, who told of women in politics, particularly those in Congress. Mrs. Shier concluded the informative period with a talk on the War in Europe.

At the business meeting, with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, presiding, plans were made for a dessert bridge party to be held next Wednesday, January 13, at 1 o'clock, and for a family dinner on January 29. Turkey and trimmings will be served for 50 cents a plate. Mrs. Meade announced the Presidents' Council at U.C.L.A. on January 15 and urged local Federated women to attend.

Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman of the California History and Landmarks section, introduced Mrs. John White of Tujunga, Los Angeles district chairman, who spoke on "The Mother Lode Country." In her many travels through sections of the State, Mrs. White has accumulated many articles bearing historic significance, and exhibited a few of them at the club session Wednesday. An old gold pan, obtained from an aged miner; a wine glass used by Bret Harte, and a glass lamp, which had lain in the sun and rain until it had assumed a resemblance to metal, were among articles displayed. Many lovely pictures were also viewed by the women.

A fascinating speaker, Mrs. White stated that the "Mother Lode Country" is a section covering 900 miles, extending south from Del Norte, and takes in Big Bear, where Arcadia's "Lucky" Baldwin made a portion of his vast wealth, in mining. The heart of the district, the richest in gold, is around Coloma.

Mrs. White described historic landmarks to be found in Rough and Ready, the small town which inspired Bret Hartes famous writing, in Grass Valley, Nevada City, Coloma and Carpinteria. In Jackson, the county seat of Amador county, an old mine, now 6000 feet deep, is still in operation. In the town of Old Volcano, former home of Ghirardelli, the custom of observing All Souls' Day on November 2 with a candle-light procession still holds forth.

Decorations at Wednesday's meeting were lavender and white stock, arranged on the tables by Mrs. Florence Endicott. Mrs. Albert Angus, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. Raymond Knisley and Mrs. Fred Johnsen were the welcoming committee.

# Scope Enlarged in Plans for Coming Year

With holidays past, junior clubwomen throughout the city are turning with zest to greater activities. From all parts of Los Angeles District they will convene in session tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at Los Angeles district headquarters on South Hobart Boulevard.

Mrs. E. P. Oldham, district adviser, will be special guest and will assist Miss Merle Hale, district president, in presiding. Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president, also an honor guest, will be principal speaker. Miss Betty Willis, vice-president, will present Mrs. William Bailey, who will give book reviews.

**JUNIOR SOROPTIMISTS**

Joys of the holidays still linger in minds of many. At the annual after-Christmas dinner party given for the Junior Soroptimists, members were entertained by Mrs. Mayme Matthay at her home on South Plymouth Boulevard. Among honor guests were Mmes. R. T. Walbank, Avis Rourke Williams, Mae Carvell, Alida Dyson, Margaret D. Reordan, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Matthay and Miss Margaret Walbank.

Among the guests were Misses Edith Sumner, Naomi Holtzman, Virginia Cooper, Elizabeth Donan, Alma Wickser, Frances Summers, Bessie McCollum, Alice Hauber, Grace Franson Wallace, May Roeck, Frankie Wilcox, Wilma Hudson and Mary Minter.

**NEW TREASURER**

Miss Louise Lowen, philanthropy chairman of South Pasadena Women's Club Juniors, is the new treasurer, succeeding Mrs. H. J. Johnson, who has moved to Bakersfield. Tuesday the young women will conduct the first dinner meeting of the New Year at the clubhouse. Bradford Trenham and Albert J. Adams will be on the program.

Mrs. Alton P. Stich, president of the Women's University Club Juniors, recently launched one of the most aggressive programs of junior clubwomen. Members will report news of cultural events in their communities; continue educational work each Wednesday in playgrounds of Olive Hill park; act as pages at the senior meetings; aid seniors in the increase of the scholarship funds and assist in publishing of the monthly bulletin.

**STATE EXAMPLE**

Los Angeles University Juniors were recently cited as an example in State junior work by the State president, Mrs. Frank Swain. Juniors of the Wilshire Women's Club are planning for the most elaborate formal charity ball presented by them. It will be held at the Hollywood Country Club, with Mrs. Arthur G. Kussman, general hostess.

Members of the Friday Morning Club Juniors are continuing the weekly sports activities which feature horseback riding, swimming and shooting at Los Angeles Police Pistol Range at Elysian Park.

Little Shirley Littell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin J. Littell of Westwood, assisted Mrs. Walter Egan Toole, president of Westwood Hills Women's Club, hostess, in extending cour-

**JANUARY 7, 1937**

By CAROLINE WALKER

Injecting a new element into the coming election of officers of the District Federation of Women's Clubs is the news that San Luis Obispo county will present the name of Mrs. J. J. Dunne of the San Luis Obispo Monday Club for the post of district treasurer.

Mrs. E. M. Kromer of Los Angeles has already frequently been mentioned as a candidate for the same office and her name is expected to be officially presented tomorrow at the district board meeting.

For some years the outlying counties of the District Federation have sought a greater representation on the board and a greater voice in district activities—to the point where at times movements have been launched to disassociate the counties from the district because of lack of representation.

Inyo, San Luis Obispo, Ventura and Santa Barbara counties which, with Los Angeles county, make up the district, have invariably been overshadowed by the large club population of this county and the fact that it is naturally the center of district work.

Inyo county is putting up its retiring president, Mrs. George McDonough, for district recording secretary, and by popular agreement no opposing candidate has been put up against her. Los Angeles women definitely feel that Inyo rates the office without contest.

There is rumor that pressure may be brought to bear on Mrs. Kromer also to step from the picture and leave the field clear for San Luis Obispo's candidate.

Tomorrow's board meeting is expected to witness the presentation of Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, vice president, as the only candidate to succeed Mrs. Will Lee Austin for district president. Mrs. Austin is slated to become state trustee when she retires from the district leadership.

Mrs. Oscar Elvrum and Mrs. Francis Eugene Payne are expected to be vice presidential candidates, and Mrs. Carl Plath for auditor. There is rumor abroad that Ventura county may present its president, Mrs. Grace Nichols, for the vice presidential office, also.

A three-cornered contest looms for federation secretary. Mrs. Frank V. Lindsay and Mrs. C. H. Oneal have already been announced as candidates, and now it is said that Los Angeles Travel Club will present its president, Mrs. Chester Smith, for the same office.

Originally Mrs. Smith was indorsed for district treasurer by her club, but since that time the club's choice of office has changed, according to advice from headquarters.

The contest will be an exciting feature of the district convention to be held in Santa Monica in April.

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Combining their forces, the Bancroft P.-T. A. and the Le Conte P.-T A. will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Bancroft school to hear another in the series of consumer education lectures which they have been putting on. Mrs. W. E. Sheppard will lead discussion on the theme of installment buying and insurance as they affect the family.

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With Mrs. E. T. Oldham, chairman of juniors for the District Federation of Women's Clubs, as their honor guest, the juniors of the University Book Club will entertain tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Marcella Laner, 5230 South Manhattan place. The girls will turn over their program to a discussion of those historic spots, the missions of California.

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Mrs. Mary Starkey will preside tomorrow over the regular meet-

FLOWER & FIGUEROA

# Mrs. Hudson Resigns Fed. Position

Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson today resigned as a member of the state nominating committee of the California Federation of Women's Clubs because she has received almost the required number of indorsements to make her a candidate for vice-president of the federation.

She was the state board's representative on the committee which has just held its first meeting in Fresno. In her place, Mrs. Martin Newall of San Francisco has been appointed. Mrs. B. F. Warmer of Ontario was elected by the committee to act as chairman.

Mrs. Bettie Smith Hughes, who represents Los Angeles district on the committee, will return home this evening, with Mrs. Frank V. Lindsay, district recording secretary, acting in the capacity of chauffeur.

No ticket came out of the meeting, because all indorsements were not ready.

It appears, however, that Mrs. Duncan F. Robertson, of San Francisco district will be the only presidential candidate. Alameda district which expects to present the name of Mrs. George Rigg as a rival to Mrs. Hudson for vice president was not represented at the committee meeting, according to authentic sources.

Mrs. Howard U. Sherwood, who is expected to be a candidate for treasurer from this district, will have her full requirements of indorsements this week, it is said.

The committee will hold another meeting in May, just prior to the state convention, at which time the full ticket will be presented.

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Dr. Wendy Stewart, who has several degrees from the University of London, brought an outburst of laughter from the art and travel section of Ebell Club this week when she informed them that many educated Britishers today are not aware of the fact that California is one of the United States.

"Even my own mother had a sketchy idea of your civilization here and has written me most earnestly to know what home comforts she can send me, and if it is possible for me to secure soap here," twinkled the learned young Britisher.

Tracing the effect of English institutions and rulers upon the United States, Dr. Stewart brought out the effect that the forbears of George Washington came here, not for democratic freedom, but because they were royalists who objected to the Cromwellian regime.

Mrs. Lynn Wightman, curator of the club's art and travel section, proved anew by her program that she is a master of the art of showmanship. Inclement weather did not keep away the large attendance, which came in for comment by one speaker, Harry Simmons of the British Antique Dealers' Association, who acknowledged that he had anticipated "addressing a few women in a small room."

Dr. Julian B. Arnold spoke of the evolution of the British empire, and Bernard Collingham of the popularity of English furniture, and a background of music and dances all reflected the empire.

An English setting, with Mrs. Wightman and her assistants beautifully costumed, provided an effective atmosphere.

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Ways and means section of Wilshire Woman's Club will take advantage of tomorrow's [illegible] rity dinner and Mrs. Lillian Burkhart Goldsmith's current events review to raise money for

a baby daughter.

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RESIGNS OFFICES

Mrs. H. J. Johnsen has resigned both as treasurer of the juniors of South Pasadena Woman's Club and as American home chairman for the juniors of the District Federation, due to the fact that she is moving to Bakersfield. Miss Louise Lowen has been appointed to fill her office for the South Pasadena juniors.

# District Fed. To Fete Its Birthday

Celebrating its thirty-seventh birthday, the Los Angeles District Federation of Women's Clubs will hold its January Presidents' Council Friday, Jan. 15, in Royce Hall, U. C. L. A.

The Woman's Club of Westwood Hills, of which Mrs. Walter Egan Toole is president, will be hostess to the meeting, and Dean Helen Mathewson Laughlin, U. C. L. A., will be one of the principal speakers of the day. Mrs. Laughlin will appear under the auspices of the federation extension division, of which Mrs. Oscar S. Elvrum is chairman.

Mrs. Will Lee Austin will call the meeting to order at 10 a. m., and at noon will declare a longer recess than usual, so that club representatives may attend the "wishing well" ceremony at which clubs of the district will present their birthday gifts of money to the federation maintenance fund. Mrs. R. J. Morrison, director of the bay area, will have charge of that part of the program.

Mrs. Paxton Lytle, district chairman of highway safety, will present George Stinson, the "singing cop," on her safety program, and Mrs. M. H. Jourdane, music chairman, will introduce Arch Bailey, baritone, and Roderick Krohn, young violinist.

In the afternoon Mrs. James F. Breen, motion picture chairman, will present Rev. John J. Devlin, advisor to M-G-M and other studios when questions of a religious nature are under discussion in motion pictures. Father Devlin will speak on "What the Legion of Decency Has Done for Better Motion Pictures." Mrs. C. H. Oneal, chairman of international interests, will bring a review of the institute of world affairs, held in Riverside in December, and which she attended as a representative of the federation.

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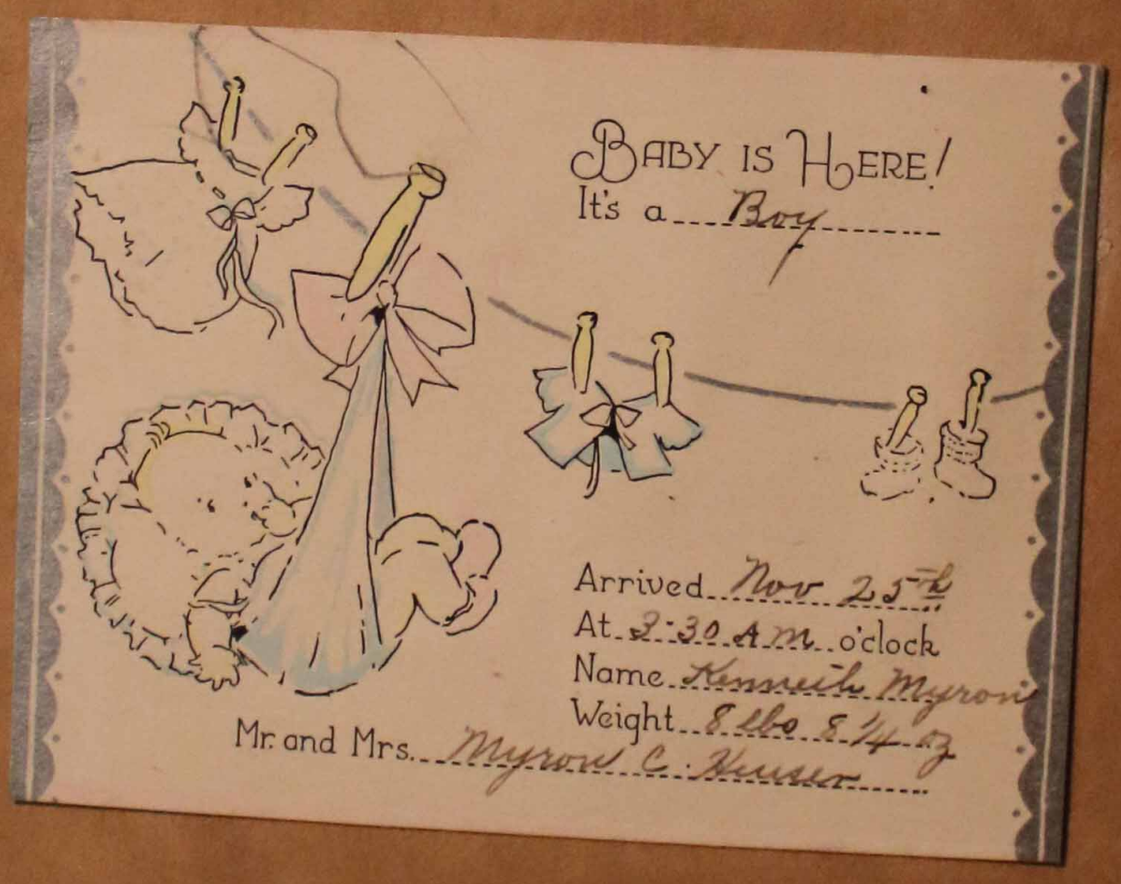
TROOP 5 - On January 29th our sponsoring organization, The Arcadia Womn's Club, prepared a turkey dinner for us. After the feed, Mrs. Burnham told a story - "Around the world on a penny". We all wish to thank the Womn's Club for the dinner and entertainment.

We are planning a test-passing (not trespassing) hike for March 22nd or 23rd. The fellows will be expected to pass tracking, use of knife, hatchet and compass, and second class signalling.

Scoutmaster, Mr. Berkompas, has appointed Lynn Crowell and Robert Richardson Patrol Leaders. We hope to offer some real competition in The Plainsman Story Contest for both individual and Troop prize.



# LARGE CROWD EXPECTED TO ATTEND FETE

### Arcadia Joins With Nation Celebrating Roosevelt's Anniversary January 30

### LOCALS PLAN COMPLETED

### Tickets Still Available Here For Dinner-Party At Woman's Club

Urging the general public to call at the three stations in the city where tickets may be obtained for the President Roosevelt birthday dinner-party to be held here at the Woman's Clubhouse on Saturday, January 30, General Chairman R. H. Schwarzkopf on Wednesday disclosed detailed plans for the affair at an interview with the press.

"I have found," said Schwarzkopf, "that where I make personal appeal for the sale of the tickets, people quite invariably purchase them. This, however, is a big time consumer. I would greatly appreciate it if the people would call at the Chamber of Commerce, the city hall or at the Schwarzkopf-Meentz real-estate office, 11 West Huntington drive, for tickets."

Now busily engaged in lining up the entertainers for the program which will follow the dinner, Schwarzkopf disclosed that he has little time in which to pay personal attention to the sale of the ducats.

"The party is going to be one of the outstanding events of the year," the general chairman for the affair pointed out. "Every possible effort is being made for a grand dinner, excellent entertainment and some fun and josh features, which, in a way, will be found to be very unique.

Schwarzkopf stated further that birthday parties should be full of fun and pep and these items will be highlights of this fete.

With Monrovia not staging a birthday event this year, it is understood that Schwarzkopf this week has launched a sales campaign in that community to join with Arcadia in this worthy venture.

# FAMILY NIGHT AT CLUBHOUSE

### Capacity Crowd Hears Lecture By Anita Willets-Burnham At Woman's Club

An atmosphere of friendliness and hospitality, mingling with that "all's right-with-the-world" feeling which comes as any family sits down to a dinner of delicious roast turkey and "fixin's" created a perfect setting Friday evening, when the Arcadia Woman's Club celebrated "Family Night."

Served family style, so that all could have second helpings if they successfully conquered first portions, the dinner hour was turned over to feasting, without any particular program to distract appetites. Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the club, introduced her board of officers, who arranged the dinner under the chairmanship of Mrs. John A. Renshaw, first vice-president, and who, with their husbands, acted as hosts to families and friends at the various tables. Mrs. Meade graciously indorsed the splendid work of her officers this past season, and for the benefit of non-club members and husbands present, briefly told some of the history of the local club and of the 622 Federated clubs throughout California. Her statement that a town is "judged by its Woman's Club" was greeted with acclaim. She also announced the President's birthday party slated for Saturday.

All of Boy Scout troop No. 5, sponsored by the club and their scoutmaster, J. Berkompas, were special guests. Prospective "junior members" assisted with the serving.

Mrs. Wood Glover, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Anita Willets-Burnham, guest speaker, who from the time she entered the room, dressed in a Czechoslovakian dress, a jacket made in Jerusalem and a long black cape, kept her audience in a constant chuckle. Mrs. Burnham delivered her educational and entertaining lecture, "Round the World on a Penny." She stated that "a cape is a nice thing to wear when traveling, because it's nobody's business what's under it," and on displaying her suitcase fitted with wheels and a handle, explained that when walking through a crowd, the wheels squeak and the crowd falls back to "get their feet out of the way."

In bringing her talk, Mrs. Burnham capably turned every scene into a laugh. Several sketches, made by herself and her children, of various spots over the world, were shown on the lantern slide, and their loveliness proved that the Burnham family are not only travelers and lecturers, but artists as well. Mrs. Burnham's book "Round the World on a Penny" gives a more detailed description of her travels.

Mrs. Meade wishes to express her appreciation to her board members, to the young ladies who helped with serving, and to the families and friends for making "Family Night" another successful page in the local club's history book.

# PARTIES WILL BE FEATURED OVER COUNTRY

### Birthday Of Roosevelt Will Be Celebrated Throughout United States

### DINNER FETE IN ARCADIA

### Nation Unites In Charitable Functions This Evening In 6,000 Cities

At dusk this evening, throughout these United States, dinner-parties, charity balls, radio shows and countless other functions will be staged in approximately 6000 communities in observance of the birthday anniversary of President Roosevelt.

Men, women and children will be gathering at these social affairs, the net profits of which will be split on a 70-30 basis between the city and the nation, respectively, to fight infantile paralysis and bring relief to thousands of crippled children of the country.

In Arcadia, the Chief Executive's anniversary will be noted with a city-wide dinner-party at the Woman's Clubhouse starting at 6:30 o'clock or shortly after. Tickets have been selling at a good clip with the major portion of them being handled by General Chairman R. H. Schwarzkopf, Roosevelt elector for the Queen City. Ducats, at $1 each, will be available at the door of the clubhouse this evening.

Providing the crowd exceeds the seating capacity of the clubhouse, arrangements have been made by the committees in charge to serve the dinner in relays. Aiding Schwarzkopf as committee heads have been Mrs. Glenn Watson, Mrs. Jane Adcock and Mrs. Helen Grant.

Schwarzkopf will serve as toastmaster for the event, expected to attract close to 130 persons.

The menu will be topped by all the turkey one can eat, the kitchen committee reported today. Everything from soup to nuts will be available with ice cream climaxing the meal as the dessert.

Over at Santa Anita Park this afternoon, the President's birthday was to be marked with the running of a special handicap for the President's Birthday Trophy Cup, the race drawing some high-class ponies to the starting gate.

In Los Angeles, the President's party is being staged at two locations, the Biltmore Hotel and the Palomar, with little Shirley Temple heading the list of artists at the former. Pasadena is observing the fete with a gala radio show in the Pasadena Civic Auditorium.

Seventy per cent of the net profits remain in Arcadia, with the remaining money going into the national fund at Washington, D. C.

February 1, 1937

# CONFERENCE DATES TOLD

## Final Regular Program Conclave Scheduled for Feb. 24; Plan District Chorus

Women's Club leaders are hoping that a Los Angeles district chorus will become a realization, and plans for such an organization will be discussed at the conference of the Music Division on Monday, February 22, at 10 o'clock, at Federation headquarters.

Such a chorus will make it possible for all federated club members who like to sing, to have an opportunity to do so, even though their individual club does not boast a club choral group. The music chairman, Mrs. M. H. Jourdane, will be glad to receive applications for membership in this chorus. All interested are urged to attend the conference on the 22nd and take part in the discussion.

The last regular program conference and artists' auditions for the present club year will be held on Wednesday, February 24, at 10 a.m. Mrs. Francis Eugene Payne, chairman of the program division, announces that the final meeting of this group will be a breakfast session on March 24, when all chairmen who have been 100 per cent in attendance at conferences will be honored.

Members of the local club will be interested in the announcement that the voice contest for the Oda Faulconer Scholarship will be held at the Catholic Woman's Clubhouse, 927 Menlo avenue, on April 9, instead of on March 19 as formerly announced. Mrs. M. H. Jourdane, music chairman, also announces that the choral contest (for club choruses) will be held at the West Ebell Clubhouse on April 12.

# GROUP SLATES ANNUAL PARTY

## V. F. W. Auxiliary Gives Yearly Benefit At Woman's Club Saturday Night

Due to the fact that so many reservations are being accepted, the annual benefit card party to be staged Saturday evening by the V.F.W. auxiliary has been transferred from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Perry to the Woman's Clubhouse. Anxious to make the affair a success, as it is the one and only benefit conducted by the group, the women are looking forward to Saturday evening with anticipation, for their extensive plans for the affair are being met with wholehearted enthusiasm and co-operation on the part of Arcadians.

Mrs. Margaret Perry heads a committee composed of Mrs. Ross Stine, Mrs. Rossie Stewart, Mrs. Helen Best, Mrs. Vida Hensley, Mrs. Susa Turner and Mrs. Stella Brookover. According to Mrs. Perry, contract and auction bridge and 500 will be played along with other games, so that all attending will be able to enjoy the evening. Prizes for winners in the various playing groups and lovely door prizes will be awarded. Tasty refreshments will be served. The small price of 25 cents per person will be charged for admission. Reservations may be made all this week with Mrs. Stewart at 2686, Mrs. Brookover at 2662 or Mrs. Helen Best at 390.

Taking the nature of a Valentine party, the event will also feature the sale of National Home Good Luck stamps, which the auxiliary members will purchase. Funds derived from the stamps and from the party will be used to assist the 161 children and 10 disabled widows of veterans at the V.F.W. National Home, and will aid with the local group's hospital work.

## Illustrated Lecture Feature Of Woman's Club Meeting

Following the 12:30 luncheon hour, with Mrs. George Barngrover heading the committee, and the 2 o'clock business meeting, Carl Roland will present an illustrated lecture on "The Elizabethan Era" at the Woman's Clubhouse Wednesday of this week.

This is the regular meeting, with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade presiding. Mrs. Albert Angus, Mrs. Robert Ferrante, Mrs. Joe W. Hall and Mrs. William Elam are the door committee, and Mrs. Charles Dillingham is decoration chairman.

February 2, 1937

# CLUB MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

## Illustrated Lecture Feature Of Luncheon Session Slated For Woman's Club

Another most interesting program will be presented to members of the Woman's Club when they meet Wednesday at the clubhouse. Carl Roland, well-known lecturer, will bring an illustrated feature on "The Elizabethan Era," following the 2 o'clock business session with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade, in charge. Mrs. George Barngrover is luncheon chairman.

For their second meeting in February, scheduled for the 17th, "International Relations" will be the theme, with Mrs. Jessie Stewart chairman of the program. As far as possible, the various countries of the world will be represented in costume or authentic articles from the country. During the luncheon current-event period, Mrs. Cyril W. Shier will present her speakers who will carry the program theme. All clubwomen are asked to adorn themselves with something foreign and to bring any foreign possession which might add to the interest of the meeting.

# EXPECT CROWD AT CARD PARTY

## Annual Benefit Sponsored Here By V. F. W. Auxiliary; Open To All Arcadians

With games of auction and contract bridge and 500 on the bill and lovely prizes ready to be awarded to winners, women of the V.F.W. auxiliary have plans completed for their benefit party of the year, to be held tomorrow night at the Woman's Clubhouse on South First avenue.

Mrs. Margaret Perry heads a committee composed of Mrs. Ross Stine, Mrs. Rossie Stewart, Mrs. Helen Best, Mrs. Vida Hensley, Mrs. Susa Turner and Mrs. Stella Brookover. The Valentine motif will be carried out at the party in decorations and refreshment appointments, and the National Home Good Luck stamps, to swell the fund for aiding inmates at the home, will be sold. Proceeds of the party will go toward extensive hospital work of the local unit, Mrs. Stella Brookover, president of the auxiliary, announced.

February 5, 1937

# PICTURES AT CLUB MEETING

## Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roland Bring Educational Talk and Slides On Elizabethan Era

One of the finest programs to date was presented Wednesday at the regular meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roland. Interesting to all women, the lecture and colored slides concerned the life of Queen Elizabeth; showed the beautiful and elaborate architecture built during her reign and pictured such great men as Henry the Eighth and Drake. Tradesmen in England did flourishing business during the "Elizabethan Era," according to Mr. Roland, for the Queen's extravagant taste in wearing apparel set the fashion for all women.

A delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. George Barngrover, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Keith Beaniston, Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. N. M. Fiske, Mrs. Harvey Moss, Mrs. John Murfett, Mrs. Betty Craig and Mrs. C. F. Schermerhorn.

Mrs. Charles Dillingham, in charge of decorations, had arranged small red vases and baskets with colorful red berries. During the luncheon, Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, assisted by Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. John Renshaw and Mrs. M. F. Millspaugh gave articles taken from reports of National Federation chairmen and told highlights of club activities in various States. Many clubs are sponsoring libraries, Mrs. Meade pointed out.

Invitations to Reciprocity affairs at the Bellflower, Altadena and Puente Valley clubs were read. Mrs. Meade read the names of Mrs. Henry Beam and Mrs. R. H. Schwarzkopf as new members and urges other women who would like to join the club to do so at the present time, so that the last half of the club year may be enjoyed. She also announced that the club is sponsoring the entrance of Miss Betty Wetmore as a soloist in the Festival of Allied Arts contest sponsored by the Federation. Judge Oda Faulkner is awarding her usual scholarship to the winner of this particular contest.

On Friday, Mrs. Meade will sit with other civic leaders as the Arcadian for the Rotary award for 1936 is chosen.

Guests at Wednesday's meeting were Mrs. E. L. Berry, Mrs. R. R. Krenz, Mrs. Hazel Rose, Mrs. James Holbin and Dr. Horton.

## Literature Section Meeting At Clubhouse Monday

Mrs. Edith B. Roberts will review her January list of books at Monday's meeting of the Literature section of the Woman's Club. The meeting will convene at the clubhouse promptly at 1:30, according to announcement made by Mrs. F. C. Ingram, chairman.

BELLFLOWER WOMAN'S CLUB
BELLFLOWER, CALIFORNIA

The Bellflower Woman's Club
invites you or a representative
to a Reciprocity Luncheon Thursday,
February 11, 1937 at 12:30 P. M.
at the clubhouse, corner of Clark
and Oak streets.

Please reply by February 6
to
Mrs H. D. Artz,
941 Flower Ave,
Bellflower.

Mrs Watson

Thursday

La Puente Valley Woman's Club,
cordially invites you and a representative to a
Reciprocity Program and Tea
Thursday, February Twenty-fifth
nineteen hundred thirty-seven
at 2:00 o'clock
Clubhouse: First and Workman Streets
Puente, California

Renshaw.

Please reply to Mrs. Alla Robbins, Glendora Avenue, Covina, California

By Feb 20th

## *Arcadia Sponsors Art Contestant*

Outstanding among February programs of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will be the meeting today when international relations are discussed.

The club has chosen an entrant to sponsor in the Southern California Festival of Allied Arts, and encouragement is being given to all Arcadia contestants.

Mrs. Emma D. Meade, president, has been invited to serve on a committee to select the most outstanding citizen of Arcadia, a project of the Rotary Club.

# WILL SEEK TO SELECT CLUB PRIZE WINNER

### Committee Scheduled To Meet To Name 1936 Victor Of Rotary Honor

### EXPECT DECISION TODAY

### Gathering Will Be Staged At Woman's Clubhouse This Afternoon At Two

Possible decision on the winner of the Arcadia Rotary award as the city's outstanding citizen of 1936 may be reached this afternoon when the award committee convenes at the Woman's Clubhouse following the regular noon luncheon session of the Rotarians.

Representatives of the Rotary Club, Woman's Club and Chamber of Commerce comprise the award committee and, according to Earl Kingston, president of the Rotary unit here, the final choice may be made this afternoon. The gathering of the committee was called for 2 o'clock.

Inaugurated in 1934, the Rotary Club obtained a plaque, which through the year hangs in the city library, on which have already been engraved the names of previous winners . . . Mrs. Alrena B. Ellison, welfare worker, initial victor, and Dr. N. Milo Fiske, pastor of the Arcadia Community Church, the 1935 winner.

Members of the Rotary Club met in regular session at noon today. On the 12th inst., the Rotarians will be hosts at a joint meeting of the Rotary group and the members of the Arcadia den of Lions International. E. E. Westerhouse, superintendent of schools, has been appointed chairman of the program committee for this joint gathering.

## Garden Section Meets Tuesday With Mrs. Boller

Mrs. Nellie White, chairman of the Woman's Club garden section, has announced the next regular meeting of the group, to be held Tuesday afternoon, February 23, at 1:30, at the home of Mrs. Florence Boller, 14 Forest avenue.

Especially valuable information concerning plant treatment following the recent freeze will be dispensed, and a feature of the afternoon will be a plant shower for Mrs. Boller. Members are reminded to bring their "plant starts."

**February 13, 1937**

## Will Present Club Award To 1936 Winner Friday

Presentation of the Rotary Club plaque to Mrs. Jane Adcock, 1936 winner, will feature the Friday noon luncheon meeting of the Arcadia unit at the Woman's Clubhouse, it was announced today.

Mrs. Adcock was voted the city's outstanding citizen of last year by the award committee this week. Yesterday she was scheduled to be interviewed over Station KEHE during the morning broadcast of the Market Basket Stores program between 9:45 and 10 a.m.

President Earl Kingston will present the award to Mrs. Adcock. Her name will be added to the list of previous winners when the plaque is returned to the public library for the remainder of the year.

## Interest High For Wednesday's Meeting Of Woman's Club

Considerable enthusiasm is being shown toward next Wednesday's meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club, which will be International Day with Mrs. Jessie Stewart in charge. Every member is urged to attend the meeting, and all who find it possible are encouraged to array themselves in foreign dress.

Members who possess articles of a foreign nature are asked to bring them, for display with the "museum" on the stage, during the meeting.

# OTHER LANDS MEETING TOPIC

### Mrs. Jessie Stewart In Charge Of Program For Wednesday Session Woman's Club

"International interests" will be the keynote of the entire program of next Wednesday's meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club, with many members appearing in costumes of other lands. On the stage, an international museum, made up of foreign articles of every description, will be displayed. Mrs. Florence Boller will act as curator. Club women and other interested Arcadians are asked to bring interesting pieces for the exhibit.

Mrs. Cyril W. Shier has arranged some especially interesting current events in line with the club theme for that day and Mrs. Nellie Pickard will introduce a foreign flavor into the luncheon menu.

Whether or not they can wear something of another nation, members are urged to attend Wednesday's meeting and join heartily into the spirit of the day. Mrs. Jessie O. Stewart has arranged the program. Mrs. George Pope, Mrs. Hart Brown, Mrs. Bruce Douglas and Mrs. Fred Johnsen are the welcoming committee and Mrs. Bessie Heuser is in charge of decorations.

**February 15, 1937**

# WILL PRESENT CLUB PLACQUE AT GATHERING

### Mrs. Jane Adcock, 1936 Winner Of Citizen Honor, To Be Rotary Club Guest

### SHERIFF TO BE SPEAKER

### Gene Biscailuz Will Bring Main Address At Club Gathering Next Friday At Noon

A double main event has been lined up for this week's regular luncheon-meeting of the Arcadia Rotary Club on Friday at the Woman's Clubhouse, according to announcement made this week.

Feature Number One will be the presentation of the Rotary Club plaque to the 1936 winner, Mrs. Jane Adcock, voted last week as the city's most outstanding citizen during the past year, while the second half of the session will headline the principal address of the day to be delivered by Sheriff Gene Biscailuz.

The latter was secured through the efforts of the Arcadia police chief, Donald Ott, who will serve as program chairman of the day.

The presentation of the award to Mrs. Adcock was set back from last Friday due to the joint meeting of the local Rotarians and members of the Arcadia den of Lions International.

Mrs. Adcock won the honor from at least a half dozen nominated candidates, polling the most points in a system as outlined by the award committee, composed of five members, one each from the Rotary unit, the Arcadia Woman's Club and the Chamber of Commerce and two outside delegates. Last Friday she was featured on a radio broadcast from KEHE, being interviewed by Miss Pauline Holden, Market Basket Stores.

## Foreign Flavor To Mark Meeting Of Woman's Club Wed.

There will be a number of interesting features in connection with the International Relations program of the Arcadia Woman's Club tomorrow in the clubhouse. Some of the women have taken a great interest in their foreign costumes to be worn and in the collection of relics from all lands, to be displayed on the stage. All of the club women have been urged to contribute in some way to the success of this part of the day.

Current events, instrumental and vocal music and the speaker will all conform to the theme of the program, which has been arranged by Mrs. Jessie O. Stewart. Due to the fact that a number of members have illness in their homes, those who find it possible are urged to attend.

BALDWIN PARK WOMAN'S CLUB
473 COVINA BOULEVARD
BALDWIN PARK
CALIFORNIA

March 16, 1937

Dear Mrs. Meade—

The Baldwin Park Woman's Club will be happy to have you and one member attend a Reciprocity Tea on Friday, April sixteenth at 2 P. M.

Cordially yours,
(Mrs.) Dola Plambeck
Corresponding Secretary

Please reply by April tenth

Answered

February 18, 1937

# ROTARY CLUB PLAQUE WILL BE PRESENTED

### Official Presentation Of Award Due Tomorrow At Regular Noon Gathering

### JANE ADCOCK IS WINNER

### Sheriff Gene Biscailuz To Be Principal Speaker For Club Session

A double-feature program is scheduled for Friday noon at the Woman's Club at the regular weekly noon luncheon meeting of the Arcadia Rotary unit, it was announced this week.

Official presentation of the Rotary Club plaque to the 1936 winner, Mrs. Jane Adcock, is programmed to be made by Earl Kingston, president of the Rotary organization, as one of the features of the day.

The other will be the principal address of the meeting to be delivered by Sheriff Gene Biscailuz. The latter will be introduced by Chief of Police Don Ott, program chairman of the day.

Mrs. Adcock polled more points than any of the nominated six eligibles for the title of "Arcadia's outstanding citizen" of 1936 on the final vote taken by the award committee composed of five persons, including representatives of the Arcadia Rotary Club, Arcadia Chamber of Commerce and Arcadia Woman's Club, to win the award and follow in the steps of Mrs. Alrena B. Ellison, first winner of the plaque in 1934, and Dr. N. Milo Fiske, pastor of the Arcadia Community Church 1935 victor.

The interests of the Sheriff's Department in the Boy Scout program was pointed out by Biscailuz in revealing that six Scout troops are sponsored by sub-station deputies in in various sections of the county. More of this type of work is being planned by his men in using leisure time to assist in juvenile work. He also stated that men in his office each year, in connection with the Federal Government, sponsor a Boys' Camp at Griffith Park where some 1000 under-privileged boys are given ten days' free outing under close supervision.

Sheriff Biscailuz concluded by saying . . . "So much more is to be done by peace officers than just arresting people."

Two solos and club singing comprised the entertainment section of the program, Harold Johns singing the solo numbers and then leading the group in a community song-fest.

, February 20, 1937

# TWO FEATURES TOP ROTARIAN SESSION HERE

### Mrs. Jane Adcock Presented With Rotary Placque As Oustanding Citizen

### BISCAILUZ IS SPEAKER

### Sheriff Outlines Development Of Department From 1862 To 1936 In Address

Presentation of a silver loving cup to the 1936 winner of the Rotary civic award, Mrs. Jane Adcock, and a stirring address given by the speaker of the day, Sheriff Gene Biscailuz, featured Friday's regular weekly luncheon-meeting of the Arcadia Rotarians in the Woman's Clubhouse.

Modest in her acceptance of the cup and gracious for the receipt of the award which ranks her as Arcadia's "outstanding citizen" of 1936, Mrs. Adcock remarked that her "sercise to the city of Arcadia would not end now."

"I hope to be able to continue to serve," Mrs. Adcock declared as she was presented the trophy by President Earl Kingston. "My four children are to live here and I am vitally interested in making Arcadia a better place in which to live."

The winner, accompanied to the meeting by her husband, Albert Adcock, pointed out that everyone has leisure time to devote to a hobby and that she was glad to devote her spare time to civic betterment.

Introduced by the program chairman of the day, Don Ott, chief of the local police department, Sheriff Biscailuz was presented as the

peaker of the day, and in his traightforward manner outlined the evelopment of the Los Angeles ounty Sheriff's office from 1862 to 936.

The Sheriff stated that in 1862 the 000 residents of the county were erved by seven members in the department. Today 845 trained deputies comprise the force. Every gency used by law-enforcement officers . . . finger-printing, chemical nalysis and the like are used.

During the course of his talk, Biscailuz commended the civil service system as now utilized which ermits his men "to become specialists instead of politicians." He amped Los Angeles county as e "white spot of the United States om a crime standpoint." He declared that since 1920 there have en 11 kidnapings in the county d all of them have been solved ith convictions benig obtained in each case.

In the county jail, 1900 people are housed on the average with 500 in honor camps stationed in mountain areas. The speaker spoke highly of the honor camps from a character-building point of view and pronounced them as entirely successful.

February 23, 1937

# SPRING PLANT SHOW PLANNED

### Fourth Annual Garden Show To Be Open To Public; Starts March Nineteenth

With plans nearing completion for the fourth annual Early Spring Garden Show of the California Garden Clubs, Inc., district number two, announcement was made yesterday of the opening ceremony to take place the afternoon of Friday, March 19, on the grounds of the California House and Garden Exhibition, 5900 Wilshire boulevard, where the display is to be held. Many Arcadians are planning to visit the show before it closes.

The six demonstration houses and gardens which comprise the permanent exhibition will provide the setting for what is expected to be the most extensive garden show ever held in this district, it was stated by Mrs. S. A. Guiberson, president of the organization. It will include miniature gardens designed and executed by members of the junior garden clubs, appropiate flower arrangements in the houses to illustrate the need for harmony between architectural style and floral decoration, an interesting collection of shadow boxes consisting of real flowers arranged in decorative frames, a Japanese section devoted to outstanding examples of Japanese gardens aid floral designs, and many other features of interest to garden lovers.

Garden club members are planning the display under the supervision of C. J. Hahn and George C. Huntington, landscape architects, and arrangements are being made for a series of lectures on subjects allied to gardens. The exhibition will be officially opened to the public at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of Friday, the 19th, and will remain open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. until the evening of Sunday, the 21st.

Programs of entertainment for both afternoons and evenings are being arranged and will include organ concerts featuring the pipe organ located on the grounds of the exhibition.

### President, Vice-President Of Club Attend Meeting

Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Woman's Club, and Mrs. John A. Tenshaw, vice-president, attended the Reciprocity luncheon-meeting at Puente Woman's Club today. The Arcadia Club will hold its Reciprocity Day on March 17.

, February 24, 1937

# GARDEN GROUP MET TUESDAY

### Mrs. Florence Boller Hostess To Woman's Club Section; Mrs. Nellie White Presides

Members and friends of the Garden Section of the Woman's Club enjoyed one of their most outstanding meetings Tuesday, when they met at the home of Mrs. Florence Boller on Forest avenue.

Mrs. Nellie White, chairman of the group, brought a talk on "Flowers of Alaska," stating that in that cold corner of the American continent—believed by most people to be nothing but ice and snow, are some of the most colorful flowers. Even to the far north, the traveler can see dainty pink and blue and magenta blossoms braving the elements.

Open discussion was held on "New Discoveries in Gardening," Mrs. Brandt leading. Pointers on the rehabilitation of gardens following the freeze, were given, along with other valuable information. Several queries were answered by Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, in charge of the question box. Mrs. Pauline Crader brought timely tips for the month of February.

A feature of the afternoon was the plant shower for the hostess, each attending bringing something from her garden, to be planted around the Boller home. Perennials, starts of shrubbery and even a tiny blossoming peach tree, were among the lovely selections given.

Mrs. Hoffman assisted Mrs. Boller with serving tasty buffet refreshments to the 21 guests and members present. A dainty bouquet of violets decorated the living-room, and the buffet table was attractively set.

February 25, 1937

# CLUB MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

### Rotarians and Wives To Visit Woman's Club At Next Luncheon-Meeting

Rotarians and Rotary-Anns will be special guests of the Woman's Club, when it meets next Wednesday for a noon luncheon, according to announcement made by the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade.

With the advent of spring, and with Arcadians already beautifying their gardens, the afternoon program will be especially signicant, for it will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. F. H. White, leader of the garden section. During the luncheon hour, tables will be beautified with early peach blossoms. Mrs. Leiland Atherton Irish, prominent in club circles throughout Southern California, will be the luncheon speaker.

Their second March meeting will be Reciprocity Day, with members of sister clubs as guests. On that date, the peach-blossom festival in Arcadia will be instituted.

Arcadia California
April 23, 1937

Mrs. G. G. Meade
President, Arcadia Women's Club
1234 So. Second Ave.
Arcadia, Calif.

Dear Mrs. Meade:

In as much as the City Council of Arcadia has passed a resolution (#855), wherin they recommend that a ll persons and organizations work together toward a city beautification program, I am wondering if you would appoint someone from your organization to meet with me Tuesday, April 27th at 2:30 P.M., at the Arcadia Building and Loan, at which time we could formulate plans for a city beautification program.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

E. A. Kingston.

February 26, 1937

# COLONIAL TEA ON WEDNESDAY

### Washington Theme At Meeting Ca ifo nia History And Landmarks Section

Members and friends of the Cali- c nia History and Landmarks sec- ion of the Woman's Club enjoy d heir Washington Tea Wednesday fternoon at the lovely home of Mrs. Viley E. Tussing on West Duarte oad. An o'd melodian, its aged wood beautified by years of care, vas the principal attraction in a oom ful of rare antique fu niture. In the living-room, a picture of th Father of Our Country was draped vith the American Flag, in keeping vith the theme of the afternoon.

Mrs. E. M. Time hoff, chairman spoke on he discovery of gold by John Sutter and James Wilson Marshall, and described the old mil' near which the ore was found. She quoted the exact words Marshal spoke when repo ting the find to Sutter. Mrs. John A. Renshaw com- pared the lives of Washington and Lincoln, dwelling on the vas ly dif- ferent marriages of the two great men. Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh in- cluded the General Motors strike the war in Spain and the approach- ing coronation of King George VI in her current event talk.

Assisted by Mrs. Charles Conner of Pasadena, Mrs. Tussing served delicious buffet refreshments. The table was centered with an arrange- ment of flags. Small pictures of Martha Washington, of Indepen- dence Hall, Mt. Vernon and the White House were given as souve- nirs.

In addition to the Colonial cos- tumes worn in keeping with the Washington natal anniversary, members brought family keepsakes and relics, many of them rare and valuable. Mrs. J. M. MacFarlane brought a lovely gown which had been worn by her mother, and a dainty black lace parasol which drew "ohs" and "ahs" from all pres- ent. Included in the collection of articles displayed were pieces of fragile hand-made lace, dress acces- sories, cameos which once were property of Queen Carlotta, old lockets enclosing pictures of loved ones, bracelets, a hair watch-chain, a silver clasp, used by belles of the gay 90's to hold the train of their evening gown from the floor while dancing, and three crosses—one of gold set with pearls, one of ebony, on a heavy ebony chain, and the other of white ivory, decorated with carved flowers.

The next meeting of the Califor- nia History and Landmarks section is to be held at the home of Mrs. Ella M. Byrne on South Santa Anita avenue, March 24.

Attending Wednesday's meeting were: Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, Mrs. Hookway, Mrs. Ella May Byrne, Mrs. Rubottom, Mrs. G. G. Meade, Miss Eva Reynolds, Mrs. John A. Renshaw, Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, Mrs. J. M. MacFarlane, Mrs. R. H. Schwarzkopf, Mrs. A. Faulkner, Mrs. George Barngrover, Mrs. A. R. Chambers, her mother and a friend; Mrs. Ella Donkin, Mrs. Charles [illegible] Mrs. W. E. Tussing.

# BANK OFFICIAL GIVES TALK TO ARCADIA CLUB

### "America's Spiral Upward" Is Topic Of Address Given To Rotary Members

### CLUBMEN GIVEN WARNING

### H. V. Adams, Director Speakers Bureau For Security Unit Brings Message

H. V. Adams, director of the Speakers' Bureau for the Security First National Bank in Los Angeles, was the principal speaker at the regular weekly Rotary meeting held Friday noon at the Woman's Clubhouse.

Mr. Adams chose for his subject "America's Spiral Upward," and he began his talk by pointing out, "So many voices alarm us that conditions are unsettled and will grow worse."

The speaker showed that so-called "calamity howlers" are nothing new —the inscription on a clay brick recently excavated in Babylon has the following which was written 4700 years ago:

"The end of the world is at hand; crime and rivalry are everywhere. There is corruption throughout the land. Our children are not as good as their fathers. Everyone wants to write a book."

Adams further reasoned that civilization continues an upward swing and has since the days of Babylon. He admitted that for "a brief span of a hundred years" the spiral might be downward, but in the long run the spiral will continue upward.

He warned the club members not to feel that all judges, lawyers preachers and others are "crooks" just because often the papers point out where one leader of his profession has done wrong. He said that much publicity given to the few wrong-doers made people often feel that the world's civilization was going backward, but such is not the case.

Americans were stamped as the world's best credit risk—figures were quoted showing that only 1.2 per cent of Americans have proved to be poor credit risks.

The speaker closed by expressing confidence in America and the future development of our nation along high moral lines.

President Earl Kingston announced that the Rotarians and their wives would meet with the Woman's Club in their meeting next Wednesday noon at the latter's clubhouse.

The program for the meeting next Friday of the Rotary Club here is to be put on by the Monrovia Rotary Club. The local members will sit back and have the entire program taken charge of by the Monrovians who will visit the club in a body.

3-17-37

Piano Recital by Alexander Kosloff

1. Berceuse - Chopin
2. Valse Brillante - Chopin
3. Polonaise A flat maj. Chopin
4. Prelude C sharp min. - Rachmaninoff
5. Malaguena - Lecuona
6. The Fountain - Ravel
7. Tarantella - Liszt.

THE SIERRA MADRE WOMAN'S CLUB

cordially invites you to their

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WISTARIA VINE

March 24 at 11 A.M.

Madame Akewie Togo will lecture on flower arrangement, history and tradition of the Wistaria

R.S.V.P. by March 17th
SARA WEBSTER
121 East Alegria

ans. 3-16-37 accepted.

# SAMPLE BALLOT

## Los Angeles District, C.F.W.C.

SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA, APRIL 21st, 1937

Polls Will Be Open From 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Designate Choice by Marking X in Square at Left of Name.

**For President**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. JOHN STEARNS THAYER
- ☐ .....

**For Vice President**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. OSCAR S. ELVRUM
- ☐ MRS. FRANCIS EUGENE PAYNE
- ☐ .....

**For Recording Secretary**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. PAXTON LYTLE
- ☐ MRS. GEORGE H. McDONOUGH
- ☐ .....

**For Federation Secretary**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. FRANK V. LINDSAY
- ☐ MRS. C. H. ONEAL
- ☐ MRS. CHESTER L. SMITH
- ☐ .....

**For Treasurer**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. J. J. DUNNE
- ☐ MRS. EDWARD M. KROMER
- ☐ .....

**For Auditor**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. CARL A. PLATH
- ☐ .....

**For State Trustee**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. WILL LEE AUSTIN
- .....

**For Director (Eagle Rock Area)**
(Formerly listed as Pasadena Area)
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MISS NEVA VEYSEY
- ☐ MRS. CLARENCE T. WILLIAMS
- ☐ .....

**For Director (Harbor Area)**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. EDWARD P. HALEY
- ☐ .....

**For Director (Santa Monica Area)**
VOTE FOR ONE

- ☐ MRS. R. J. MORRISON
- ☐ .....

March 1, 1937

# ARCADIAN IS CLUB SPEAKER

## Harvey Moss To Bring Luncheon Talk As Rotarians, Wives Guests Of Woman's Club

Choosing "Sidelights on World Affairs" as his topic, Harvey E. Moss of this city will be guest luncheon speaker at the regular meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club Wednesday. Mr. Moss is in constant demand as a speaker on current topics of importance, for meetings of Women's Clubs and service clubs. On the 18th of this month he is to be principal speaker at the Ventura County convention of Women's Clubs.

Rotarians and Rotary-Anns are invited as special guests for Wednesday's meeting. Mrs. Bertha Larsh and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman are in charge of luncheon arrangements, with the luncheon hour moved ahead half an hour to 12 o'clock noon.

Following the 2 o'clock business meeting, in charge of Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, the Garden Section will present the afternoon program, Mrs. Nellie White, chairman.

## Literature Section To Meet At Club Monday

Mrs. Edith B. Roberts will bring her March list of book reviews at Monday's meeting of the Literature section, to be held at the Woman's Clubhouse.

The time has been set for 1:30.

, March 4, 1937

# ROTARIANS AT WOMANS CLUB

## Harvey Moss Brings Message On World Affairs At Luncheon

That Spring "is undoubtedly here to stay" was evidenced by the abundance of dainty blossoms decorating the club rooms on Wednesday when the Arcadia Woman's Club entertained Rotarians and Rotary-Anns at their luncheon-meeting. There were daffodils, jonquils, narcissus, flowering peach, acacia and early flowering shrubs, all in a riot of color and perfume, and all attractively arranged by Mrs. John Granville and Mrs. Charles Dillingham. Luncheon tables, decorated by Mrs. Nellie White, were lovely in dainty spring dress.

Choosing "Sidelights on World Affairs" as his topic, Harvey Moss, luncheon speaker, brought a message which held the attention of every person present. Centering about the European and Oriental situations, bringing in the part that the United States plays, the talk brought home the fact that though Americans assisted with forming the Versaille Treaty, and the League of Nations, they calmly slipped out of their responsibility and "had nothing more to do with it"—and at the present time, still fail to recognize the mammoth responsibility the Nation has in working toward World Peace. Mr. Moss, in speaking of the European situation, which he calls "the sore spot of the universe," states that the only sanity in the Old World seems to be in the British Empire. "Americans know it—as well as they know they are the happiest people on earth, that some time, there must be an alliance between the United States and Great Britain—and that alliance will make it possible for leaders of various nations to settle the problems of the world in a sane and just manner," the speaker stated. He talked on the many current "strikes" in this country and of the President's attempt to "mend the Constitution."

During the business meeting of the club, Mrs. John Kaskel appeared as a Red Cross Nurse and collected a free-will offering from members. Mrs. LeRoy Anderson played "Old Man River" on the piano, while the contribution was being accepted. The fund will be turned over to the local Red Cross chapter. Mrs. Nellie Pickard, beloved club member, who is running for office of City Director in Pasadena, was given the best wishes of her fellow-members. Mrs. Meade, president, announced the next meeting as Reciprocity Day, stating that five district officers and 16 clubs had been invited to attend the luncheon. Mrs. J. B. Stanley of 1605 Perkins drive was voted in as the 28th new member this year.

In charge of Mrs. Nellie White, the garden section presented the afternoon program. John Manning, an authority from the Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens of Pasadena, was guest speaker. He displayed gorgeous cuttings from flowering shrubs, including the camellia, azalea, hibiscus and various flowering trees. He gave pertinent information concerning the trimming of frost-bitten plants, and invited all members to visit the Plant Gardens during the Azalea festival, the latter part of March.

Guests Wednesday included Mrs. Florence Galentine; Mrs. K. C. Miller, Mrs. Benjamin Bee of San Marino; Mrs. Mills, Sr., of Jacksonville, Florida; Mrs. Charles Wood of Bangor, Maine; Miss Bicknell and Mrs. L. Wagner.

Mrs. Larsh and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman headed the luncheon committee.

March 5, 1937

# PLANS MADE FOR LUNCHEON

## Reciprocity Event To Be Held At Harpole Home; Council To Elect Officers

Plans for a reciprocity luncheon were made by members of the P.-T. A. council when they met Thursday morning at the First Avenue school, with Mrs. Fred Johnsen presiding. Scheduled for April 8, the affair will be held at the home of Mrs. Eugene Harpole, 1156 Arcadia avenue, with Mrs. John Renshaw in charge of the luncheon and Mrs. Betty Neitzle, decorations. Heads of various Arcadia organizations will be invited to attend.

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. Lloyd Austin, chairman; Mrs. A. B. Ellison and one representative from each P.-T.A. association will present a report to be voted on at the meeting, and installation of the newly-elected council officers will be held.

Mrs. Cyril W. Shier, president of First Avenue P.-T.A., announced that the unit's next open meeting will be held March 30, due to Easter vacation earlier in the month.

Announcement was made of the special program to be given at the Moore Country School on March 12, featuring a talk by Dr. Laws. District convention on April 20, at the Pasadena Civil Auditorium, was announced.

Those attending the council meeting were: Mrs. Fred Johnsen, Mrs. J. Wheeler, Mrs. L. L. Austin, Mrs. John Renshaw, Mrs. C. W. Shier, Mrs. A. B. Ellison, Mrs. Milton Lubetkin, Mrs. Ralph Scofield, Mrs. Betty Neitzel, Mrs. Philip Heim, Mrs. Meyer Fink, Mrs. T. P. Rootes, Mrs. Josephine McAdams and Mrs. Eugene Harpole.

, March 6, 1937

# ROTARY CLUBS JOIN HERE FOR JOINT SESSION

## Monrovia, Arcadia Units Unite For Dinner Meeting At Woman's Club

## ENTERTAINMENT BILLED

## Visiting Organization Brings Over Program As Clubs Meet Together Here

A noon hour of brotherhood, goodwill and friendship was enjoyed by the combined membership of the Monrovia and Arcadia Rotary Clubs Friday noon at the Arcadia Woman's Club as the Gem City unit sponsored the day's program, while local clubmen "eased back in their chairs" and looked on.

Close to 60 Rotarians participated in the joint gathering which was presided over by Frank Wood, president of the Monrovia club.

On the entertainment bill was a colored motion picture dealnig with "California Highways," a movie furnished by the Union Oil Company of California. Various points of interest found along State paved highways were shown and explained throughout the reel.

Club singing was led by both Steve Eggleston, Monrovia song-leader, and Harold Johns, who holds the same position with the Arcadia organization. Mrs. Willa Hamilton accompanied at the piano. Visitors present included clubmen from Alhambra, Pasadena and Azusa.

President Earl Kingston of the Arcadia group announced that on March 19 one of the most outstanding programs of recent months will be held by the Rotary Club here at the Woman's Clubhouse.

At that time, Dr. Adamantious Polyzoides, professor of international relations at the University of Southern California, will be featured as the speaker of the day. Dr. Polyzoides has chosen for his subject: "What America Can Do to further World Peace."

The local club feels that so much good may be accomplished in this meeting, according to Kingston, that members of the Arcadia den of Lions, the Monrovia Rotarians, Monrovia-Arcadia Elks, Sierra Madre Kiwanis, Arcadia Masons, Arcadia American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the auxiliaries of these groups are to be invited to attend. It is hoped that some definite resolution or action will be taken by the group at the close of the meeting.

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THOSE CONSENTING TO ACCEPT OFFICE IF ELECTED
ARE AS FOLLOWS

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| President | |
| First Vice President | Mrs. Renshaw |
| Second Vice President | |
| Recording Secretary | Mrs. Harpole |
| Treasurer | Mrs. Millspaugh |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Reynolds |
| Federation Secretary | Mrs. Boller |
| Program Chairman | Mrs. Glover |
| Director | Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Beanston |

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**Second Vice President**

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| Warner | 20 |
| Beanston | 8 |
| Baughman | 7 |
| Hoffman | 6 |
| Beery | 5 |
| Harpole | 2 |
| Shier | 2 |
| Hostutler | 1 |
| Boller | 1 |
| Chambers | 1 |
| Ferrante | 1 |
| Larsh | 1 |
| Fiske | 1 |
| Griffitts | 1 |
| Hall | 1 |
| Edith Rose | 1 |
| Watson | 1 |
| Muller | 1 |

**Corresponding Secretary**

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| Reynolds | 48 |
| Hall | 2 |
| Beanston | 2 |
| Needham | 1 |
| Timmerhoff | 1 |
| Tussing | 1 |
| Chambers | 1 |
| Boller | 1 |
| Crader | 1 |
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**Federation Secretary**

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| Chambers | 23 |
| Moss | 20 |
| Meade | 5 |
| Boller | 3 |
| Noack | 2 |
| Timmerhoff | 1 |
| Gorman | 1 |
| White | 1 |
| Randolph | 1 |
| Larsh | 1 |
| Lewis | 1 |
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March 8, 1937

## Club Women Plan Conference At Trojan Campus Meeting

Representatives of over 3000 club women and members of civic organizations met this past week on the University of Southern California campus to discuss plans for the 7th annual Women's Civic Conference, to be held April 15 at the Trojan institution.

Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, vice-president of the Los Angeles District Federation of Women's Clubs, as general chairman of the conclave, announced the theme as "Making Democracy Work."

Sponsored by the U.S.C. School of Government under the direction of Dr. W. Ballentine Henley, the conference will feature outstanding educators and government officials who will discuss current trends and women's responsibility in a democracy.

Dr. Everett Dean Martin of Claremont Colleges has been named as guest speaker at the morning assembly on April 15. Following morning panel discussions on social, political, and economic problems a summarization at the noon luncheon will be a new feature of the agenda. Afternoon round-table talks will follow.

Serving on the executive committee to plan the conclave are 50 presidents and representatives of women's organizations, including Native Daughters of the Golden West, business and professional club groups, Y.W.C.A., respective community organizations from Santa Barbara to San Diego, and women's Catholic organizations.

Over 700 women attended last year's conference on the Trojan campus.

## Athletic Section To Sponsor Breakfast

Plans are progressing for a breakfast to be given March 30 by the athletic section of the Arcadia Women's Club, it was announced today by Mrs. Edith Rose, chairman of the group.

Details of the affair will be published in the near future.

, March 11, 1937

# WORLD PEACE TO BE TOPIC FOR MEETING

### Rotarians Will Be Hosts To Organizations Of Three Cities On March 19

### PROFESSOR WILL TALK

### Seven Units, Auxiliary Will Gather In Arcadia; Interesting Bill Set

One of the most vital subjects of the day will be discussed thoroughly at the Woman's Club on Friday noon, March 19, when the Arcadia Rotarians act as hosts to organizations from this city, Monrovia and Sierra Madre during their regular weekly luncheon-session, according to announcement made by Earl Kingston, president of the local Rotary unit.

"What Can America Do To Further World Peace?" is the topic of the principal address to be delivered by Dr. Adamantious Polyzoides, professor of international relations at the University of Southern California. A noted lecturer and authority on world peace problems and theories, Dr. Polyzoides has brought his message to various southland cities in the past months, and a record breaking audience is expected to hear his address here on the 19th inst.

Invitations to attend this session have been ordered forwarded to the Arcadia den of Lions International, Glenn Dyer Post No. 247, American Legion, Arcadia Post No. 2070, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Monrovia Rotary Club, Monrovia Lodge No. 1427, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Sierra Madre Kiwanis, Arcadia Masons and others, including the auxiliaries of the service groups.

The Arcadia Rotary Club will meet in its regular session for this week tomorrow noon at the Woman's Club at which time final preparations will be made for the mammoth gathering the following week.

## Woman's Club Boardmembers Hold Meeting

Executive board members of the Arcadia Woman's Club were to meet today at the clubhouse to discuss plans for the Reciprocity meeting on Wednesday.

March 13, 1937

# PARTY PLANS ARE REVEALED

### Altar Society Of Holy Angels Church To Sponsor Event On Tuesday Night

With tickets reported moving at a fast clip, final arrangements were being made today for the staging of a St. Patrick's Day card party and entertainment Tuesday night, March 16, at the Woman's Clubhouse under the auspices of the Altar Society of the Church of the Holy Angels.

Rev. Gerald O'Keeffe, pastor of the church, has appointed a capable committee to handle all the details for the affair which officially opens the spring social activities of the church in Arcadia. Mrs. Florence Beery is acting as general chairman of the party.

Included among the card games to be played are "500," bridge, bunco and pinochle, the committee arranging for special tables for the latter game.

In addition to Mrs. Beery and Father O'Keeffe, who is handling the ticket sales, the committee in charge of the function is composed of Mrs. Joe Hron, Mrs. Thomas Hefferon, Mrs. George Sornborger and Mrs. Frank Caron.

# RECIPROCITY DAY AT CLUB

### Members Of Sister Clubs Will Be Special Guests At Luncheon-Meeting

Fifteen women's clubs in the Los Angeles District will be represented at the Wednesday Reciprocity luncheon of the Arcadia Woman's Club, it was announced today by Mrs. G. G. Meade, president. Four district officers have accepted the invitation to be present, and a special guest will be Mrs. W. W. Sladen, a General Federation officer.

Appointments at the luncheon tables will feature the St. Patrick's Day motif in green and white.

This week's meeting will also mark the institution of the Peach Blossom Festival in Arcadia, of which Mrs. Nellie White is chairman. For the occasion, the auditorium will be profusely decorated in bouquets of the blossoms, from white to deepest pink.

Mrs. H. H. Pike is luncheon chairman, and Mrs. R. D. Sparks is co-chairman. Members of the committee include Mrs. Harry Baughman, Mrs. J. L. Byrne, Mrs. William Elam, Mrs. Robert Fischer, Mrs. Mabel Moore, Mrs. McClintock, Mrs. C. L. Newell, Mrs. Pennington.

# ROTARY HEARS STUDENTS VIE IN TALK FEST

### Four Deliver Addresses Here As Award Divided Among Young Speakers

### VANDERBUR IS CHAIRMAN

### Timely Topics Discussed Friday; Fred Miller Added To Membership

Timely talks, presented by four students in the public speaking department of the Arcadia-Monrovia-Duarte high school were the feature of the regular weekly meeting of the Arcadia Rotary Club held Friday noon at the Woman's Club.

Each year Miss Gladys Coblentz, English and Public Speaking instructor of the local high school, brings a group of her students to compete in a public speaking contest before the local Rotary group.

Clyde Covell discussed "Safe Driving;" Warren Tsuneishi discussed "Forest Conservation;" and Harry Booth and Helen Lauraine each discussed "World Peace." The club members felt that each of the talks were so outstanding that instead of awarding the $5.00 prize for the best talk, the money was divided equally among the four contestants.

Former Rotarian, John Vanderbur, who for years has been program chairman for the annual public speaking contest, was invited to return as a visitor for the day and act as program chairman. He served in his old capacity in a gracious manner.

Following the policy of the club for a member to deliver a five minute talk each week, Mr. Kenneth Barnes gave an interesting discussion on "Merchandising." Club singing was led by John Vanderbur, accompanied by Harold Johns at the piano.

Fred Miller was inducted into the club as the "baby member" by President Earl Kingston.

MISS NEVA VEYSEY
5026 MAYWOOD AVENUE
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

October 29, 1936

My dear Mrs. Meade:

In accordance with our talk today, I am happy to confirm the date of March 17 as the Reciprocity Day for the Woman's Club of Arcadia.

I hope you will have a successful and happy year.

Yours sincerely,
Neva Veysey
Chairman of Reciprocities
Los Angeles District,
C.F.W.C.

March 16, 1937

# PIANIST WILL TOP PROGRAM

## Alexander Kosloff To Play At Wednesday Session Of Woman's Club

Especially outstanding in this year's list of excellent programs being presented at meetings of the Arcadia Woman's Club is the one planned for tomorrow's Reciprocity Day, when district officers and representatives of sister clubs will be guests.

Alexander Kosloff, piano soloist with the Los Angeles Symphony orchestra will offer a fine musical program, telling, as he announces his numbers, highlights in the lives of composers, bits of history connected with the selections and some of his own experiences. Mr. Kosloff, a native Russian, whose father was a well-to-do merchant in Russia before the Revolution, is a member of the Hollywood Bowl association and is head of the piano department at Occidental College. He is past president of the Toastmasters Club of Los Angeles.

Luncheon, under the chairmanship of Mrs. H. H. Pike and Mrs. R. D. Sparks, will be served at 12:15 with tables decorated in the St. Patrick's Day motif. There will be an exhibition table, sponsored by the California History and Landmarks Section, which will feature California relics and antiques of interest to all. Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman of the section, Mrs. W. E. Tussing, Mrs. J. MacFarlane and Mrs. R. H. Schwarzkopf are in charge of the table. Mrs. N. Milo Fiske is taking care of a table of Japanese and Chinese curios.

Mrs. Charles Dillingham is general hostess for the day, and club hostesses to visitors will include Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, Mrs. John A. Renshaw, Mrs. A. N. Multer, Mrs. Charles Willey, Mrs. J. E. Larsh, Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Ardene Boller, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. Hookway, Mrs. J. S. Craig, Mrs. Glenn B. Watson, Mrs. John Murfitt, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman and Mrs. J. T. Reynolds.

Mrs. Will Lee Austin, district president of C.F.W.C., Mrs. Frank C. Owen, county president; Mrs. Bert Beverly, district treasurer; Mrs. George Schuetz, district chairman of business and protective law; Mrs. James F. Breen, motion picture chairman for the district; Mrs. W. W. Sladen, general federation extension secretary and Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, district vice-president, have all been invited to attend.

Clubs who have received invitations to send representatives are The Woman's Club of Bellflower, Rosemead, Alhambra, LaPuente, El Monte, Baldwin Park, Monrovia, South Ebell, Temple City, Altadena, Gardena, Sierra Madre, Mohilinda, the Long Beach City Club and the Wednesday Morning Club.

Mrs. Rubottom and Miss Eva Reynolds will act as registrars.

# WORLD PEACE SUBJECT FOR PARLEY HERE

## Rotarians Will Be Hosts To Organizations Of 3 Cities On Friday Noon

## DR. POLYZOIDES TO TALK

## S. C. Professor Of International Relations Billed For Address Here

"What Can America Do To Further World Peace?"

This important and vital subject will be the topic of an address to be delivered Friday noon at the Woman's Clubhouse when the regular session of the Rotarians will be transformed into an "open house" meeting with organizations from this city, Monrovia and Sierra Madre invited to attend.

The speaker of the day will be Adamantios Th. Polyzoides, lecturer in international relations and journalism and director of the Academy of Greek Culture at the University of Southern California. President Earl Kingston of the local Rotary unit has issued invitations to the Arcadia den of Lions International, Glenn Dyer Post No. 247, American Legion, Arcadia Post No. 2070, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, and the auxiliaries of these service orders, the Monrovia Rotary and Sierra Madre Kiwanis among others.

Polyzoides has been associated with the University of Southern California since 1935. The noted commentator on international affairs is a graduate of Lycee Greco-Francais, Constantinople; State Gymnasium, Athens, and studied in the Law School, National University of Athens.

Journalism has been his profession since the turn of the century, including 25 years as managing editor of "Atlantis," published in New York. He also served as special correspondent for the New York Times, the London Central News Agency and is a regular contributor to numerous leading American and foreign newspapers, journals and magazines.

A speaker of rare ability, Polyzoides' bi-weekly radio addresses are heard over the nation by more than a million regular listeners, according to estimates made by broadcast experts.

Polyzoidis also serves as managing editor of the "Worlds Affairs Interpreter," quarterly publication of the Los Angeles University of International Relations, a division of the University of Southern California.

March 17, 1937

## Arcadians Invited To Breakfast of Athletic Club

Mrs. Edith Rose and her coworkers in the Athletic Section of the Woman's Club of Arcadia are planning a ham and egg breakfast to be given Tuesday morning at 9:30, March 30, to discuss pro and con the work of each department of the newest club section. Members interested are urged to attend, and non-members are cordially invited. The nominal fee of 30 cents per plate will be charged to cover expenses.

Horse-back riding, a popular feature in Arcadia, will be one of the outstanding activities of the section with the coming of Spring and warm weather. Hikes greatly encourage delightful summer picnics. A mountain cabin will be available, according to the chairman.

Mrs. Rose, prominent in club work both here and in Los Angeles, is a capable chairman and a gracious hostess. She will be assisted with breakfast arrangements by Mrs. Betty Austin, Mrs. Hattye Douglas, Mrs. Marie Chambers, Mrs. Florence Knisley and Mrs. Arlene Brown. Reservations may be made by phoning 8171 or 2583.

## Mrs. Byrne Hostess To History Section Next Week

Mrs. R. D. Sparks and Mrs. Rubottom will bring highlights in the lives of pioneers who played important parts in the development of California, at next Wednesday's meeting of the California History and Landmarks section of the Woman's Club.

The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Byrne on South Santa Anita avenue, starting at 1:30. The hostess will bring discussion on a current event.

## Woman's Club Board Meets At Harpole Home

Mrs. Wood Glover assisted Mrs. Eugene Harpole, when she entertained members of the Arcadia Woman's Club executive board Monday with luncheon. St. Patrick's decorations, attractively arranged, made a very pretty table.

Besides discussing the Wednesday meeting, plans were made for a benefit bridge party on April 14 with a special entertainment feature sponsored by the board, prizes for the bridge winners will be in charge of Mrs. Harpole and Mrs. Renshaw.

On April 24, Saturday, the board will sponsor a food sale. Details of both events are to be announced later.

## Nominating Committee Elected At Woman's Club

At a business meeting, presided over by Mrs. G. G. Meade, during the Woman's Club meeting Wednesday, the nominating committee was elected. Mrs. W. G. Lewis, Mrs. A. L. Daniels, Mrs. Hugh Sanborn, Mrs. Eugene Harpole and Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh will serve.

The committee is to meet immediately and send nominating ballots to each member. On the return of the ballots, the committee will make up the election ballot. Actual date has been set for the first meeting in May.

# RECIPROCITY DAY AT CLUB

## St. Patrick Theme Of Luncheon As Woman's Club Meets On Wednesday

"A bit of auld Erin" greeted members and friends of the Arcadia Woman's Club as they gathered for luncheon Wednesday noon—St. Patrick's Day. Tables were arranged to form the three leaves of the Shamrock, and were decorated in huge bouquets of pink peach blossoms, arranged by Mrs. Glenn B. Watson, in celebration of the peach blossom Festival in Arcadia. Mrs. Nellie A. White, instigator of the idea, explained it to visitors from sister clubs, informing them that they were witnessing the first official Festival, although the movement has been promoted by the club for three years. At the close of the meeting, the flowers were given to the guests.

Wednesday's meeting topped Reciprocity month on the local club's calendar. Guests introduced were Mrs. Maude Smith, Altadena Woman's Club; Mrs. P. D. Cammack, Alhambra Woman's Club; Mrs. Burt Beverly, district treasurer; Mrs. Edgard M. Kromer, district child welfare chairman; Mrs. A. W. Hargrave, Monrovia Woman's Club; Mrs. George L. Schuetz, district chairman of business and protective law, and Monrovia Woman's Club; Mrs. John Robert White, jr., County federation; Mrs. Philip Benow, Sierra Madre Woman's Club; Mrs. G. K. Brotherton, Ebell and Sierra Madre; Mrs. W. A. Bolton, Baldwin Park; Mrs. H. D. Arts, Bellflower; Mrs. Richard A. Robinet, South Ebell; Mrs. Ralph Root, Temple City; Mrs. Clarence A. Withey, Montebello; Mrs. Harvey Brubaker, El Monte; Mrs. William Haisman, Huntington Park; Mrs. Howard W. Lindow, Huntington Park Juniors; Mrs. John A. Zavesjies, North Whittier Heights; Mrs. A. E. Hart, Rosemead; Mrs. Edith P. Lofthouse, La Puente Valley; Mrs. Edna R. Miller, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Upson, Mrs. M. D. Phinney, Mrs. E. L. Brewer, Mrs. T. O. Thompson and Mrs. R. Almour were guests of members.

Following luncheon, Alexander Kosloff, who has made concert tours in Europe as well as in this country, gave a piano recital. His numbers were "Because" by Chopin; "Polonaise" in A-flat major—

...ed Pictures To Be Shown ...t High School Tonight

## Report Is Made Concerning Break Into Clubhouse

Police on Monday were completing investigation of a report made Sunday at the station concerning the breaking into the Woman's Clubhouse sometime between 3 p.m. on Friday and 1:30 p.m. Saturday, according to the leg at the station.

Entrance was gained by breaking the lock on the French doors leading off the west side of the patio. Nothing was reported as missing by Mrs. A. C. Wyckoff, caretaker.

The latter told police of locking the door on Friday afternoon and returning on Saturday to find the door swung open.

## Garden Section Meeting Held Tomorrow

Members of the Garden Section of the Woman's Club will convene tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Craig, 456 West Walnut, starting at 1:45.

The meeting will feature a plant shower for the hostess, with members bringing "starts" from their gardens.

# WILL DISCUSS CLUB EVENTS

### Breakfast Tuesday Morning To Officially Start Work Of Athletic Section

The Athletic Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club will commence its series of activities with a breakfast at the clubhouse at 9:30 tomorrow morning, when various divisions will be set up. With the new County park offering splendid tennis courts, and promising a swimming pool and golf course before long, and with the near-by canyon offering possibilities for riding and hiking, the new section should grow to be one of the most popular in the club in a very short time.

Mrs. Dan Rose is chairman of the section and will act as hostess at tomorrow morning's breakfast. Ham and eggs tops the menu on the 30 cent meal. Arcadia women who are interested in having beneficial "good times" this summer are urged to attend the breakfast and meeting, and express their opinions concerning the forming of the various divisions. Reservations may still be made by phoning 8171, 2888 or 2637.



# GARDEN GROUP HAS MEETING

### Section Meets On Tuesday With Mrs. Craig; Plant Shower Is Feature

Members and friends of the Garden Section of the Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Craig, 456 West Walnut avenue, with the chairman, Mrs. Nellie White, presiding. A review of the book "Harvest of the Years," given by Mrs. Harry Marshall, was a tribute to Luther Burbank, Tuesday's session being "Burbank Day." Mrs. Marshall gave each present a start of the Shasta Daisy, originated by the great botanist.

Mrs. White, in her discussion, gave suggestions made by Burbank concerning the fascinating study of the growth of plants . . . how various types of plants reproduce . . . and how more beautiful growth may be assured by the gardener. Several questions about spring planting were answered.

Plans for a field trip, when members will visit the Azalea Festival at the Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens and the Wisteria Fete in Sierra Madre, were made, the exact date to be decided later.

Mrs. A. R. Chambers assisted Mrs. Chaig with serving a delicious repast at the close of the meeting and social hour.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Kohler on Leroy street. "Pest Control in the Garden" will be the afternoon topic, all members taking part in the discussion.

**GARDEN SECTION ENJOYS CHRISTMAS PARTY M'TG**

One of the most enjoyable meetings of the Garden section Woman's club took place at the home of Mrs. Henry Riess, 22 E. Londgen avenue recently.

Dessert was served at one o'clock by the hostess and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman co-hostess.



# EARLY FAMILY HISTORY TOLD

### Talks On California Pioneer Days Feature Meeting Of Landmarks Group

Gathering 'round the fireplace at the home of Mrs. J. L. Byrne, members of the California History and Landmarks section of the Woman's Club enjoyed one of their most interesting meetings on Wednesday. Mrs. R. D. Sparks, whose family was one of the oldest in Ventura, told of the delightful historical spots there, dwelling on the personal manners of such families as the Del Villas and the Aguillars, noted for their hospitality. According to the speaker, the Del Villa family still has possession of the original huge land grant, but the old 'open-house" idea is no longer a feature of the rancho. This was brought about after Helen Hunt Jackson visited at the home and then wrote her immortal "Ramona," in which she pictured the elder Senora Del Villa as the heartless head of the household in which Ramona and Allessandro were servants—a picture not at all like the warm-hearted Senora.

Mrs. Ethel Rubottom spoke in an interesting manner of the period starting in 1821, when trappers arrived in Southern California, bringing with them the beginning of merchandising. In 1824,- Jedediah Strong Smith and other leaders came to the district and established a definite trade with the trappers.

Mrs. Byrne was in charge of current events, talking on the discovery of non-explosive helium 13½ miles above the surface of the earth and the return of the swallows to San Juan Capistrano on March 19. The birds are scheduled to leave their summer homes on October 23, the day St. Joseph is honored at the Mission. The "new deal" in little Belgium, and the case of nine million facing starvation in China were other topics discussed by Mrs. Byrne.

Miss Eva Reynolds talked on the excavation at the oldest fortification in America, near St. Augustine, Florida. Mrs. George Barngrover spoke of the oldest blacksmith shop, built in the trunk of a tree 4000 years old. The latter oddity is in Del Norte County, California. Mrs. John Renshaw told of the invention of the field plow by John Deere, just 100 years ago. Mrs J. L. MacFarlane's subject was the Iguana Indians.

Chairman of the section, Mrs. E. Timerhoff, has been made honorary member of the State California History and Landmarks club, located in Los Angeles.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Byrne and Mrs. Sparks served a dainty repast to Mesdames Tussing, Barngrover, MacFarlane, Millspaugh, Rubottom, Renshaw, Chambers, Timerhoff and Miss Eva Reynolds.

OFFICIAL
NOMINATING BALLOT OF THE
WOMAN'S CLUB OF ARCADIA.

Fill in the names of members of your choice for the following offices.

PRESIDENT ----------

FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT----------

SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT----------

RECORDING SECRETARY----------

TREASURER----------

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY----------

FEDERATION EXTENSION SECRETARY----------

PROGRAM CHAIRMAN ----------

DIRECTOR (3 year term)----------

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PROPOSITION NO 1. AN EXPRESSION OF OPINION.

To increase the dues for the year by 50¢ to include a year's subscription to the Federation News, official paper of the California federation of Women's Clubs. Mark Yes or No.

Yes----------

No----------

PROPOSITION NO. 2 Do you favor our club joining the County Federation. Dues 5¢ per member to be paid by the club.

YES----------

No----------

When ballot is completed, mail or deliver to the Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Mrs. G. W. Lewis, 1166 W. Duarte Rd. Arcadia, Calif., not later than the first meeting in April , April 7th 1937.

April 2, 1937

# BREAKFAST STARTS CLUB

## Athletic Section Of Woman's Club Forms Various Divisions

The Athletic Section of the Arcadia Woman's Club held its first official meeting Tuesday morning at the clubhouse, starting with a breakfast at 9:30, served by Mrs. Dan Rose, chairman, and her committee.

Presiding over the business session, Mrs. Rose named Mrs. Allen Muller to be in charge of the golf section of the club. Until the completion of the course at the new County recreational center, golf will be played at Brookside Park in Pasadena. Mrs. Mabel Moore is in charge of tennis and Mrs. Marie Chambers of swimming, which will be enjoyed in the newly finished pool at the park as soon as the weather is warmer.

In response to requests for a dancing group, Mrs. Rose appointed Mrs. William Murphy to take charge of such a division. Mrs. H. H. Pike will arrange for hikes and horse-back riding is in charge of Mrs. Rose, Mrs. L. L. Austin and Mrs. Albert Angus. Arcadians desiring to join the riding group may telephone to Mrs. Rose for information. The first ride will be taken on April 8 from the Santa Anita Academy on West Huntington drive, riders leaving the Academy at 9 a.m., and each following Thursday morning.

Mrs. Marie Chambers, Mrs Frank Ingram, Mrs. Joe Hall and Mrs. Genevieve Davis assisted Mrs Rose with breakfast arrangements

April 5, 1937

# SOLOIST AT WOMANS CLUB

## Program For Junior Past President's Day To Feature Popular Soprano

Mrs. Ella Byrne, junior past president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, will be especially honored at Wednesday's regular meeting, junior past president's day. A faithful leader and a gracious hostess during her entire term as president last year, Mrs. Byrne won the respect and love of every club member.

Mrs. Cyril W. Shier has arranged a group of current event talks for the luncheon hour, commencing at 12:30. Mrs. Ella Baughman is chairman of luncheon arrangements.

Following the 2 o'clock business meeting, with the president, Mrs. G. G. Meade presiding, Mrs. M. M. Trew will lead group singing.

The afternoon program will feature Mrs. Harold W. Schmid, soprano, of Huntington Park. Mrs Schmid has done solo work for churches and clubs in Pasadena and South Pasadena, in Oakland, Sacramento, Huntington Park and other California cities. She is the daughter of Mrs. W. E. Tussing of Duarte road.

Mrs. Louella Phelps is in charge of decorations for Wednesday's meeting and the door committee will be Mrs. Albert Angus, Mrs Bruce Douglas, Mrs. Ray Knisel and Mrs. Robert Ferrante.

## Literature Section Will Meet Tuesday Afternoon

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The speaker of the day will be Mr. Jacques Hahn, who is known for the beautiful flower shows and exhibits, which he arranges at regular intervals for the Better Homes and Garden Magazine on Wilshire boulevard.

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Mrs. Baughman was chairman of luncheon arrangements and was assisted by Mrs. Ben Cross, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. C. M. Needham, Mrs. Florence Muller, Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. R. D. Sparks and Mrs. C. F. Noack.

## Garden Section Taking Field Trip Friday

The Garden Section of the Woman's Club will take a field trip Friday afternoon to the Azalea Festival at Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens and to the Wistaria Fete in Sierra Madre.

According to Mrs. Nellie White, interested in the trip are to meet at the corner of Baldwin avenue and chairman, members and friends in-Huntington drive promptly at 1:30

## Voice Contest For Scholarship Tonight In Los Angeles

Miss Betty Wetmore, the Arcadia Woman's Club entrant in the district federation voice contest which carries the $100 scholarship given by Judge Oda Faulconer as a prize, will complete this evening with other contestants at the Catholic Women's clubhouse, 927 Menlo avenue, Los Angeles.

Mrs. M. M. Trew, music chairman of the Woman's Club, and Mrs. LeRoy Anderson are planning to attend.

# FRIDAY TO BE ARCADIAN DAY AT VINE EVENT

## Woman's Club To Head Delegation To Wistaria In Sierra Madre

## ORGANIZATIONS INVITED

## "Acre Of Loveliness" Ready For Local Inspection, Announcement Says

It has been definitely decided that Friday, April 9, will be "Arcadia Day" at the Sierra Madre Wistaria Fete, according to announcement made this week.

The Woman's Club of Arcadia this week extended a cordial invitation to all other organizations as well as to all citizens to join them in visiting the "acre of loveliness" in Sierra Madre on that date. It was pointed out that the visit will be a commendable gesture to make the attendance as large as possible in appreciation of the special invitation to the residents of this city.

This famous vine now spreads its lacy tendrils over an entire acre of beautifully landscaped and terraced grounds and is supported by gleaming white columns of pergolas which are uniquely lighted for evening visitors.

Luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and teas from 4 to 6 p.m.

Thousands of dollars have been spent in beautifying the grounds this year and an excellent new parking space has been provided. All this loveliness is well worth going a long way to see, it was disclosed, and yet is within a few moments' drive from Arcadia.

The committee in charge of the Arcadia visit has urged that a goodly number of Arcadians plan to trek to the foothill city Friday. More than 1600 visited this beauty spot on Easter Sunday.

April 14, 1937

# EXPECT CROWD AT CLUB FETE

## Dessert Bridge Party Slated For Tomorrow At Arcadia Woman's Club

Those in charge of tomorrow's benefit dessert bridge party at the Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse are looking forward to entertaining a capacity crowd. Dessert will be served at 12:30, and a short musical program will follow.

Both contract and auction bridge will be played, with prizes promised for winners at both games. Tickets may still be obtained from Mrs. John Renshaw and Mrs. Keith Beanston for 25 cents each, or both will reserve a place for anyone who calls either 8231 or 2470.

Mrs. W. E. Larsh and Mrs. A. R. Chambers will award prizes. Tomorrow's party is the first in a series of afternoon and evening affairs to be given before the end of the club year.

## Beautiful Prizes To Be Given At Bridge Party

Mrs. Charles Willey, chairman of arrangements for the bridge party to be given at the Woman's Clubhouse on Saturday evening, April 24th, announces that 14 exquisite prizes have been donated by a member of the club, whose name will be announced soon.

Awards will be made for first, second and third highest scores for gentlemen and ladies, in both contract and auction bridge, and door prizes will also be given.

Mrs. Willey urges clubmembers and their friends to take advantage of the occasion to entertain their friends with individual parties. The affair is being held in the evening so that the men of the family will be free to attend.

April 24, 1923

## Announce Winners In District Voice Contest

Twenty young women participated in the voice contest sponsored annually by the Los Angeles District CFWC, with a scholarship given by Judge Oda Faulconer as the prize. The contest was held Friday, April 9, at the Catholic Women's Clubhouse with Mrs. Frank Delting and Mrs. Mertie Aldrich Perkins as cohostess.

Miss Isla Detter, sponsored by the Los Angeles Travel Club, was winner of first place. Miss Jean Turbin, sponsored by the Women's City Club of Venice, and Miss Edith Biggars, sponsored by West Jefferson Woman's Club, were second and third respectively. Judge Faulconer will personally present the winner with the scholarship on Wednesday night of the District Convention at Santa Monica.

Miss Betty Wetmore was the local Woman's Club entrant.

## Mrs. Meade To Be Among Honored Guest At Dinner

Federated Club presidents who have been 100 per cent in attendance at all President's Councils and Presidents' conferences during the past year, and district chairmen who have attended all board meetings for the same period, will be honored at the attendance dinner to be held the opening night of the three-day convention at the Hotel Miramar in Santa Monica.

Mrs. G. G. Meade, local club president, will be among those honored.

# BRIDGE PARTY THIS EVENING

## Proceeds Of Affair At Woman's Club To Swell Treasury; Expect Large Crowd

The auditorium of the Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse will be the scene of a gay party tonight when local bridge players gather to enjoy an evening of their favorite indoor sport. First, second and third prizes for gentlemen and ladies in both contract and auction bridge will be awarded. All the awards, including door prizes, were donated by a member of the club.

Playing starts around 8 o'clock, following a musical program by the peppy "Three Enchiladas," a Spanish trio composed of Juan, Jose and Roberto. Music will also be offered by the trio during refreshment time.

Mrs. Charles Willey, in charge of ways and means for the balance of the year, has arranged the party and will act as hostess this evening. Thirty-five cents is being charged for admission.

April 26, 1937

# GAY TIME AT BRIDGE PARTY

## Beautiful Awards Given Winners At Cards By Mrs. Henry Behm

Fourteen tables of contract and auction bridge were played Saturday evening at the Arcadia Woman's Clubhouse, when Mrs. Charles Willey, ways and means chairman, entertained with her first evening card party this season.

While players were being paired for the first game, the "Three Enchiladas" entertained with several Spanish numbers, and offered another group of selections during the refreshment hour.

When scores were tallied, Mrs. Willey introduced Mrs. Henry Behm as the clubmember who had so generously donated the beautiful prizes. Mrs. Willey remarked that although Arcadians had always been ready to assist in any way with parties during past seasons, this is the first time in her experience as hostess that one person donated everything needed. Mrs. Behm awarded the prizes from the stage, where they were arranged on a table.

In auction, Mrs. Ella Baughman, Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Hazel Sandroff won first, second and third for ladies; Mr. Smith, A. L. Daniels and Dan Rose, being winners for men.

Mrs. Lulu Reynolds won first prize in contract, Mrs. Coleman, second and Mrs. F. C. Ingram, third. Dr. King, J. Hall and F. C. Ingram were winners for men. Mrs. John J. Granville was awarded the lady's door prize and Mr. Ingram was the lucky winner for men.

A delicious light supper was served at 11 o'clock.

While making several announcements, Mrs. Willey reminded those present of the dance to be given at th Turf Club late next month.

# STUDY LIVES OF PIONEERS

## California History Section In Meeting At Home Of Mrs. MacFarlane

Gathering at the lovely home of Mrs. J. M. MacFarlane, members of the California History and Landmarks section of the Woman's Club on Wednesday enjoyed one of their most interesting meetings.

Speaking on the life of Mark Twain, the hostess told how the famous adventurer and author, born in Florida, Mo., entered a printer's shop as assistant, at the age of 13, and in record time was an accomplished type setter. In 1851, he became a steamboat pilot on the Mississippi, and it was then that some of his earlier books were written.

On coming to California, he and Bret Harte became inseparable friends, living and writing in a small cabin on the top of a hill in the northern part of the State. Two monuments are erected to his memory in his home State and on the 106-acre Mark Twain memorial park, located near Salt River, stands the 2-room cottage where Twain—(Samuel Clemens)—was born. Mrs. MacFarlane listed his works from the immortal "Huckleberry Finn" and "Tom Sawyer" to "Prince and the Pauper," "Connecticutt Yankee" and "Innocents Abroad."

Mrs. John A. Renshaw spoke on the life of Abel Stearns of Connecticutt, who brought the first carriage to Southern California when he shipped around the Horn. Arriving before the gold rush period, when this district was in Spanish reign, Stearns was made a Mexican citizen and member of the Roman Catholic Church. He married Arcadia Bandini, and built her a home which he titled "El Palacia." In 1831, Stearns "fell out" with the governor and was sent to old Mexico, where he organized a small revolution and returned to stay. Later in his life he built the Arcadia Block in Los Angeles at the cost of more than eighty thousand dollars. He was the owner of ranchos and haciendas, acquiring property all over Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Orange Counties.

Miss Eva Reynolds lead the current event period, bringing a comprehensive resume of events from the advent of Chinese boy "quints" to the placing of the last gold rivet in the San Francisco Bridge.

"Snowballs," purple iris, stocks and sweet peas, arranged in blue and white vases, harmonized with the soft blues of the living room furnishing. Guests enjoyed viewing an old Worcester jug, pieces of onyx and heirlooms of the MacFarlane family.

The hostess presided at a tea-table, beautifully set with silver service, serving refreshments to Mrs. John Renshaw, Miss Eva Reynolds, Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, Mrs. G. G. Meade, and Mrs. Rubottom.

## Garden Section Meets With Mrs. Kohler

Mrs. W. A. Young lead a symposium on "Pest Control in the Garden," in which each member took part, at Tuesday's meeting of the Garden Section of the Woman's Club, held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Kohler, 528 LeRoy avenue. The discussion contained much valuable information—valuable because it had been gained by the practical experience of real gardeners.

Mrs. Nellie White, chairman, outlined the significance of Japanese flower arrangement. An exchange of plants, bulbs and seeds afforded pleasure for all members, especially those who are planting new gardens.

Assisted by Mrs. Pauline Crader, the hostess served delicious refreshments to the following: Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Mrs. J. L. Byrne, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. W. A. Young, Mrs. Bertha Thompson, Mrs. C. F. Noack, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. Richard Evans, Mrs. Harry Marshall, Mrs. Harry Rickett, Mrs. McCormick, Miss Emily Faulkner, Mrs. LeRoy Anderson, Mrs. Ardene Boller, Mrs. Harvey Moss and several visitors.

Roll call, when a tribute to "Mother and her garden" will be given, will feature the next meeting, to be held at the home of Mrs. A. L. Parker on West Huntington drive.

Election Ballot 45 votes cast
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President
Jessie Stewart 41

First Vice-President
Juliet Renshaw 38

Second Vice-President
Hermione Beanston 40

Recording Secretary
Ruth Harpole 41

Corresponding Secretary
Lulu Reynolds 41

Treasurer
Ina Millspaugh 41

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Florence Boller 41

Program Chairman
May Glover 41

Director
Olive Hoffman 40
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May 6, 1937

## New President

Mrs. Charles W. Stewart, elected president of the Arcadia Woman's Club at the Wednesday meeting. Mrs. Stewart capably served the club as president during 1934 and 1935. She will be installed into office on June 2.

## Mrs. Renshaw Entertains Board Members At Luncheon

At a beautifully appointed luncheon party, given Tuesday by Mrs. John A. Renshaw at her home on Baldwin avenue, Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Woman's Club was presented with her federation pin. Pink roses and greenery centered the luncheon table, and carried out the club's colors throughout the house.

Several games, arranged by the hostess, were enjoyed, and each present was awarded a souvenir gift. During the brief business meeting, discussion was held on the benefit dance to be given by the club on May 21st.

Guests, board members, included Mrs. Meade, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. Lulu Reynolds, Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman.

## Arcadian To Install Officers For Federation Section

Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman of the Woman's Club California History and Landmarks section, will act as installing officer at the annual bridge luncheon and business meeting of the Federation division, being held at the Woman's University Club, 943 S. Hoover, Los Angeles.

Members and friends of the club will be welcomed at the meeting. Seventy-five cents admission will be charged. Bridge and door prizes will be awarded.

# CLUB CHOSES NEW OFFICERS

### Two Excellent Programs Given At Meeting Of Arcadia Woman's Club

Mrs. Charles W. Stewart, who served the 1934-35 term as president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, was elected Wednesday to succeed Mrs. G. G. Meade as next year's president. With the exception of Mrs. Florence Boller, new federation extension secretary, and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, elected for a three-year directorship, all officers remain the same. They are: Mrs. John A. Renshaw, firse vice-president; Mrs. Keith Beanston, second vice-president; Mrs. Eugene Harpole, recording secretary; Mrs. Lulu Reynolds, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, treasurer; Mrs. Ardene Boller, federation extension; Mrs. Wood Glover, program chairman; Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, Mrs. W. E. Larsh and Mrs. George Needham, directors. Installation will be held June 2 at the clubhouse, when chairmen will be asked to read their annual reports.

Seated at the president's table were those members who had served as luncheon chairmen during the year, including Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. Ella Baughman, Mrs. Alice Cross, Mrs. W. G. Lewis, Mrs. Hugh Sanborn and Mrs. Dan Rose. Mrs. George Baingrover, Mrs. Eli Shetler, Mrs. Nellie Pickard and Mrs. H. H. Pike were unable to be present.

Mrs. Fisher, visiting here from Canada, was a guest of Mrs. A. L. Parker, Mrs. Edna Holliday of Lincoln, Neb., was a guest of Mrs. A. E. Gruben; Mrs. W. A. Spence of Santa Monica, a guest of Mrs. Joe W. Hall, Mrs. A. T. Ritchie, guest of Mrs. H. G. Pangborn, Mrs. Carl McConnell, a guest of Mrs. Hardy Harris, and Lois Spranger, guest of the club.

Roses marked each place at the luncheon tables, attractively decorated with bouquets of garden flowers, through the artistry of Mrs. John J. Granville and her assistants.

Following dessert, Miss Chrissy Hotchkiss of the high school faculty presented a group of Spanish students in songs and dances. Mary Jane Covell, Donna Agave and Jean Campbell, in gorgeous costumes, danced the "Chiapanecas." "Jarabe Tapatio," the national dance of Mexico was given by Barbara Feeley and Warren Dropman, and Florretta Cortes, in gown and headdress of lower Mexico, danced the "Coconito." Warren Dropman and Bill Heim, wearing bright serapes over their shoulders, played guitars and sang two Mexican songs.

Ronald DeLong, representing the Dollar Steamship Company, presented a reel fo motion pictures entitled "International Highways," featuring scenes in the Hawaiian and South Sea Islands. After the program, Mrs. M. M. Trew led the assemblage in hearty community singing. At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Meade read a short poem for Mother's Day.

Mrs. John H. Wheeler was chairman of the luncheon committee for the day, being assisted by Mrs. John Hostutler, Mrs. C. L. Newell, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. Carl Randolph, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. J. C. Kaskel and Mrs. Wood Glover.

May 10, 1937

## Arcadians Will Attend Annual Bridge Luncheon

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The affair is scheduled to start promptly at 12:30. Prizes for contract and auction bridge and lovely door prizes, will be awarded. Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, chairman of the local section, will install the new officers. Reservations are 75 cents each.

May 15, 1937

## Installation Features Annual Spanish Luncheon

Mrs. J. M. MacFarlane and Mrs. John A. Renshaw were guests of Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff at the annual Spanish luncheon given by the California History and Landmarks Club at the Women's University clubhouse on Thursday. Mrs. Timerhoff acted as installing officer, installing Mrs. Edwin S. Fuller as president and all the newly elected heads of the organization for next year.

Following the typical Spanish luncheon, dances and vocal numbers in keeping with the occasion were enjoyed. The incoming president being past State chairman of conservation, an abundance of wild flowers were used for decoration.

Over 100 were present.

## Arcadians Attend Convention In Coronado

Mrs. G. G. Meade, retiring president of the Woman's Club, Mrs. Wood Glover and Mrs. Marie Chambers have been attending sessions of the State federation convention in Coronado.

# ARCADIA WOMEN TO GIVE PARTY

For the purpose of raising funds for their new clubhouse, members of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will give a dance and card party at the Santa Anita Turf Club, Friday evening, May 21. Phil Dillinger's orchestra will furnish the dance music and there will be 200 tables of auction and contract bridge. The new clubhouse is located on Diamond avenue and First street.

One of the features of this outstanding social event of the season in Arcadia, will be a waltz contest to be judged by some of Hollywood's terpsichorean experts. Awards at the card tables will be beautiful gifts donated by merchants from the entire metropolitan area.

Mrs. Charles Willey, ways and means chairman of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, is in charge of arrangements for the event.

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# ARCADI

**Arcadia Council**

Regular meeting of the Arcadia city council was held last evening with routine business, including the ever-present dance permit question coming before the body.

Arcadia has a city dance ordinance prohibiting devotees of the terpsichorean art from participating in that "healthful" exercise after the clock strikes twelve, that is if the affair happens to be in any way public. After granting Mrs. Charles Willey, who is in charge of the proposed Woman's club dance and card party May 21 at the Los Angeles Turf club, a dance permit, Councilman Hoffman sternly added, "the festivities cease at midnight."

Apropos of dancing—Louise J. Strickland has wanted a dance permit for her establishment on Foothill blvd., for some time, same has been withheld although special investigator, Vic Torrance of the police department turned in a favorable report to the council regarding the manner in which the eating place is conducted. Attorney Cecil L. Lacy, in behalf of Mrs. Strickland, presented the matter before the board, requesting their reconsideration.

# Protest Giving Party at Track Of Woman's Club

Because of a difference in opinion among board members, plans of the Arcadia Woman's club for a dance to be given at the Santa Anita Turf club, May 21, were being held in abeyance today.

After Mrs. Charles H. Willey, in charge of the affair, had secured the use of the clubhouse from Dr. Charles Strub and made elaborate plans for the affair, it became apparent that some executive board members, headed by Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, were not in favor of a club party being given at the race track.

Conferences and consultations were being held today in the hope that the matter can be ironed out.

May 17, 1937

# DANCE PLANS ARE COMPLETE

## Only Few Details Remain As Woman's Club Affair Set For Friday

With only a few details left to be taken care of this week, plans were reported nearing the completion stage for the first annual benefit dance and card party under the auspices of the Arcadia Woman's club which will be staged Friday night in the main rooms of the Los Angeles Turf Club in Santa Anita Park.

This announcement was made by Mrs. Charles Willey, general chairman, who is heading the hard-working committee which has toiled tirelessly to insure the success of this gala event.

Music for dancing will be furnished by Phil's Harmony Garden Orchestra of Pasadena, an organization which has played for social successes throughout the southland, including several swanky hotels in this vicinity. Headlining the dance program is the prize waltz to be judged by three well known screen and stage celebrities, while intermission entertainment will feature the famous "Flash Act" of the Landon Troupe made up of youthful performers and a 12-year-old master of ceremonies.

Valuable prizes, topped by the grand prize, a diamond ring, will be awarded during the evening, local and Los Angeles stores furnishing the girts of the evening. Auction and contract bridge will be played in the dining rooms leading off the main dancing floor, the latter being converted from the main lobby in the Turf Club building, flanked by the pari-mutuel windows. The orchestra will be seated on a platform built on the steps leading from the lobby to the lower terrace of the clubhouse.

Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, chairman of the ticket committee, has the bulk of the ducats, selling at $1.50 per couple, which can also be obtained from the following: Becker's Dress Shop, Douglas Drug, Hardy Harris, King's Pharmacy, Ericsson's Pharmacy and Seltzer's Variety Store.

# CLUB SLATES BIRTHDAY FETE

## Past Presidents And Earliest Members Of Club To Be Honored Guests

Twenty-three successful years will be celebrated by members of the Arcadia Woman's Club on Wednesday, the anniversary of the club's organization. Scheduled to start at 1:30 with a business meeting, the affair will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Warner, social chairman and her committee.

Mrs. G .G. Meade, president, expressed the hope that as many of the past presidents and early members of the club be present. Many, now living in other Southern California cities, have already signified their intentions to attend.

Following the business meeting, a program will be presented through the courtesy of the Southern California Auto Club, titled "The International Highway."

The remainder of the afternoon will be spent socially over the tea cups. Colorful May flowers will be arranged throughout the club rooms by Mrs. Florence Endicott. Mrs. Robert Ferrante, Mrs. George Pope, Mrs. Joe W. Hall and Mrs. Grant Corby will be the door committee.

## Club Athletic Division Shows Remarkable Growth

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, the second dancing class, a part of the athletic division of the Woman's Club, will be held at the clubhouse under the direction of Alberta Silcott. Mrs. W. A. Murphy, chairman of the class, announces that several new members are planning to attend tomorrow and that enthusiasm is wide-spread among Arcadians. The group is still in need of a pianist and will give a private lesson to some mother's child for this service.

In fact, the entire athletic section is growing "by leaps and bounds." Mrs. Dan Rose, chairman, reports the riding group very successful, with a jaunt scheduled each Thursday morning at 9. An open air breakfast follows the ride which starts from the academy on West Huntington drive. The tennis and golf sections are moving ahead and members are eager for the pool in the county park to be completed and filled so that swimming may be started.

May 18, 1937

# ORIENTALS TO BE FEATURED

## Famed Hashinoto Sisters To Sing With Orchestra At Club Dance Here

Novelty entertainment of the classiest type will be featured with Phil Dillinger and his Harmony Garden Orchestra, the musicians signed to play for the Arcadia Woman's Club benefit dance and card party on Friday night at the Los Angeles Turf Club in beautiful Santa Anita Park, according to word received this week by Mrs. Charles Willey, general chairman.

Topping the list of entertainers with the band are the Hashinoto Sisters, billed on all their appearances as the Cherry Blossom Trio. Unique festival music will be rendered by this musical organization, it was reported by Dillinger.

The featured soloist with the orchestra will be Lucile Henderson, low-voiced blues singer, who has been programmed on radio bills over KFAC, KRKD and others.

Carpenters on Monday went to work on the platform for the orchestra which will be constructed on the steps leading from the clubhouse lobby to the ground terrace in the clubhouse sector.

Auction and contract bridge tables are ready to be placed in the dining rooms and booths off of the lobby. Light refreshments will be served from the bar-room during the evening.

Announcement was made by Mrs. Willey of the donation of a 7-way lamp to be given as one of the prizes of the evening, this gift being secured from the Los Angeles Furniture Store. According to Mrs. Willey,

May 19, 1937

## Garden Section Scheduled To Meet Next Tuesday

Next Tuesday, May 25, the Garden Section of the Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. A. L. Parker at her home on West Huntington drive.

Mrs. Nellie A. White, chairman of the group urges each member to be present as the event will be the last regular meeting of the group this sason.

An entertaining and instructive program has been planned.

May 20, 1937

## Plan Installation Of Officers At Board Meeting

Board members of the Woman's Club made plans for the June 2 final meeting of the club, when they met Wednesday morning. Instead of the usual luncheon at 12:30, members will gather for "brunch" at 11 o'clock, the combination breakfast and luncheon to be prepared by Mrs. Ella Baughman and Mrs. Foss.

During the business meeting, reports of all chairmen and officers will be made and a short musical program will follow.

Featuring the afternoon will be the installation of Mrs. Jessie O. Stewart and her crew of officers for the new year. Mrs. John Stearns Thayer, new district president, will act as installing officer.

# WOMANS CLUB BENEFIT FETE SET FOR UNIT

## Close To 1,000 Couples To Be Present At Turf Club Tomorrow Night

## VALUABLE PRIZES LISTED

## Part Of Gifts Now On Display At Becker's Dress Shop; Gay Evening Due

The highly publicized social event of the season—the benefit dance and card party sponsored by the Woman's Club of Arcadia to be staged at the Los Angeles Turf Club in Santa Anita Park—will be on tomorrow night.

A hard-working committee, under the leadership of Mrs. Charles Willey, have carefully supervised all details for the affair which promises to be the high spot of the current months. Music for the dancing will be furnished by Phil Dillinger and his Harmony Garden Orchestra from Pasadena, with a prize waltz contest topping the dance program.

Cards will be played in the dining rooms, leading off of the dance floor, tables being set for 200 auction and contract bridge players. Prizes galore have been secured to be given away during the course of the evening, several of the gifts now being on display at Becker's Dress Shop on Huntington Drive.

Superb talent from the stage and screen are billed to entertain during the intermission sessions, while light refreshments will be served from the bar-room of the clubhouse. Advance ticket sales, according to announcement of Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, chairman of the ticket committee, indicate a capacity throng will be on hand when the evening's gay party gets underway.

Included among the donors of gifts and other aid to the success of the event are the following:

Bullock's, Colton's Robinson's, Los Angeles Furniture Company, LeRoy's Diamonds, Arcadia Hardware, Becker's Dress Shop, Gillette's Shoe Store, Menshop, Arcadia Theatre, King's Pharmacy, Watt's Barbecue, Baldwin Avenue Hardware, Mc[illegible]

May 20, 1937

# PARTY FETES ANNIVERSARY

## Motion Pictures Shown As Club Celebrates Twenty-Third Birthday

The Arcadia Woman's Club celebrated its twenty-third birthday Wednesday afternoon at the club house, the meeting arranged by Mrs. Charles Warner, social chairman and her committee composed of Mrs. C. C. Hoffman, co-chairman, Mrs. John Murfett, Mrs. C. L. Newell, Mrs. Joe W. Hall, Mrs. Dan Rose and Mrs. W. E. Larsh.

Reports of the district convention at Santa Monica, by Mrs. Wood Glover and Mrs. John A. Renshaw and of the State convention in Coronado by Mrs. A. R. Chambers and Mrs. G. G. Meade, president, featured the early part of the meeting which started at 1:30. Last minute plans for the benefit dance at the Turf Club were discussed and approved.

Mrs. Bert Morris, a new member, was introduced. Mrs. Lola Trew led the assemblage in community singing, starting with a "happy birthday" song especially for the occasion.

Mrs. C. B. Sumwalt of Placentia and Mrs. A. L. Parker of this city, charter members of the club, were introduced and honored. Mrs. F. L. Clark, a guest of Mrs. J. C. Garrow, was also introduced.

Motion pictures of the building of the highway, which when completed, will stretch from Buenos Aires to Alaska, were shown through the courtesy of the Southern California Auto Club.

A social hour and tea followed. The club colors were carried out in pink sweet peas and greenery, in decoration of the pretty tea table and the club rooms.

# Benefit Dance, Card Party Will Draw Throng Tonight To Turf Club In Santa Anita Park

Close to 1,000 couples, hailing from Arcadia, Monrovia, Pasadena and other southland communities tonight are expected to jam the Los Angeles Turf Club lobby and dining room sections as the first annual benefit dance and card party under the auspices of the Arcadia Woman's Club is staged.

Word from Mrs. Charles Willey and her efficient committee heads and workers today revealed that all arrangements have been completed and that "mark time" is the order from headquarters until the semi-formal function gets underway shortly after 8 o'clock.

While dancing is being enjoyed in the main lobby room of the beautiful clubhouse at Santa Anita Park, with music furnished by Phil Dillinger and his Harmony Garden Orchestra, card devotees will be seated at 200 tables in the dining rooms and booths leading off of the dance floor. The orchestra, one of the best known in the southland, will be seated at the northern end of the converted ball-room, on a platform built over the steps leading out to the ground terrace of the clubhouse. The prize waltz, to be judged by screen and stage personalities, tops the dance program.

Gifts galore from both Arcadia and out-of-town shops and stores will be distributed this evening as the benefit function, lined up by the Ways and Means Committee of the Woman's Club, attracts the anticipated throng.

May 24, 1937

# REVEAL PRIZE LIST OF CLUB DANCE AFFAIR

## Complete List Of Awards Are Disclosed In Report Of Party Chairman

## VARIOUS UNITS THANKED

## Arcadia, Los Angeles Storemen Cooperate In Gala Fete Held On Friday

Final tabulation of all prize-winners awarded at the benefit dance and card party staged Friday night at the Los Angeles Turf Club under the auspices of the Ways and Means Committee of the Arcadia Woman's Club was revealed on Monday morning by Mrs. Charles Willey, general chairman.

In issuing the list of winners, Mrs. Willey stated that she wished to express her personal thanks to all those concerns, organizations and individuals who helped in the making of the successful social function.

Praise was heaped on all the members of the committee working out the details of the party, and all local and out of town merchants and stores cooperating with the prizes. In addition to those listed with the prize-winners, Mrs. Willey desired to thank the Market Basket, Safeway, Du Bois, Pines Coffee Shop, Seltzer's Variety Store, Watt's Barbecue and others, including Dr. Charles Strub of the Turf Club for the use of the clubhouse.

The complete list of prize-winners at the party were:

Grand door prize, LeRoy's diamond ring, Norman McKee; second door prize, evening dress from Becker's Dress Shop, Mrs. R. E. Podlick; third door prize, floor lamp from Los Angeles Furniture store, R. E. Podlick; Waffle iron from Arcadia Hardware, by Mrs. Larsh; coffee silex from Baldwin Avenue Hardware, by Lorna Kaskel; glass and chrome dish from Colter's by Charles Stewart; llike dish from Barber Brothers by Mrs. Raymond Maxwell; $5.00 order from San Gabriel Valley Lumber Company, by D. G. Peerson; ladies shoes by Gillette Shoe Store by S. T. Reeder; pillow from Bullock's by E. J. Morris; lubrication job from Arcadia Texaco Station by Mrs. H. H. Butler.

Pottery coffee set by Sheehan Furniture and Mercantile Company by Mrs. Frank Ingram; white vase from J. W. Robinson by Mrs. John R. Hall; gentlemen's toilet set from King's Pharmacy, by Ira Everett; cigarette case from Douglas Drug by T. E. Casson.

Men's contract bridge awards were won by Floyd Coleman, a tray from Walton's Hardware; second, Clyde Cannon, cigarette holder from Mosher's Dry Goods; men's auction bridge awards: F. Collins, tray from Walton's Hardware; second, John Murfett, cigarette-ash holder, from Mosher's Dry Goods Store.

Ladies' contract bridge: first, Mrs. Mabel Greenfield, bowl of flowers from Shellinger's Florist, Los Angeles; second, Geneva McMahon, riding crop from Santa Anita Riding Academy; ladies' auction: Mrs. John Murfett, ice-box revolving container from Hardy Harris; second, Mrs. Helen Grant, riding gloves from Los Angeles Sport Shoppe.

For selling the most tickets to the benefit function, Mrs. Edith Rose was given a month's pass to the Arcadia Theatre, while the second best seller, Mr. Frank Ingram was given riding spurs donated by the Santa Anita Riding Academy.

May 22, 1937

# DANCE HAILED AS COLORFUL SOCIAL EVENT

## More Than 500 Couples Present At Turf Club For Gala Function

## FLOWERS GIVEN CHAIRMAN

## Jean Marshall, Harvey Moss Capture Prize Waltz At Woman's Club Fete

The beautiful Los Angeles Turf Clubhouse at Santa Anita Park came out of its "between season" hibernation last night as more than 250 couples enjoyed themselves in gala fashion at the semi-formal dance and card party held under the auspices of the Ways and Means Committee of the Arcadia Woman's Club.

While dancing couples swayed to the music of Phil Dillinger and his Harmony Garden Orchestra in the lobby of the clubhouse, scores upon scores played at auction and contract bridge in the dinettes, dining rooms and others leading off of the transformed dance floor.

One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of a beautiful basket of vari-colored Calla lilies to Mrs. Charles Willey, general chairman of the committees which made the successful fete possible. The presentation was made by by Mrs. G. G. Meade, president of the Woman's Club, on behalf of the executive board of the organization.

Other members of the committee who share the credit with Mrs. Willey are: Mmes. John Kaskel, M. G. Millspaugh, John Hostutler, William G. Lewis, F. C. Ingram, George Needham, Ella Baughman, J. Thomas Reynolds, Keith Beanston and A. R. Chambers.

In addition to Arcadia folk, men and women from the following communities were in attendance: Pasadena, Los Angeles, San Marino Azusa and Monrovia.

The prize waltz contest, topping the evening's dance program, was won by Jean Marshall and Harvey Moss, jr. To Miss Marshall was given a box of imported face powder and to Mr. Moss was presented a cigarette case.

The complete list of prize winners for the evening will be ready for publication on Monday.

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# CLUB OFFICER GIVES DATA ON UNIT ACTIVITY

## Mrs. Carl Randolph, Historian Of Woman's Club, Reveals Progress Of Year

## OBJECTIVES ARE GIVEN

## Benefits, Charitable Events Of Organization Told In Detail In Complete Report

At the installation-meeting of the Arcadia Woman's Club, held June 2, when Mrs. Charles W. Stewart took office as president for the new year, Mrs. Lulu Randolph, historian read her report. Showing the splendid progress made by the organization during the past year, the article in full follows:

"It is one of the privileges of an historian to be allowed to look into both the future and the past. I know that in the years ahead, when I have occasion to open my club yearbook and see the club slogan inscribed therein—"Let us build together"—I shall think then as I do now, of our president, Mrs. Meade. For it was during her first term as president that this lovely clubhouse was built, and never more than during those months was the slogan exemplified—"Let us build together" was truly lived by all members. And the night of July 30, 1931, was one long to be remembered in club annals, when the lights of the new clubhouse led all Arcadians to join in the dedication ceremony.

Time will record all the accomplishments of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, but only the briefest summary of the work of the past year can be given here. No report can adequately record the hours of thought and work that have gone into each meeting that it might be presented as the perfect occasion it was. Along with the reports you have heard of officers and chairmen, from the very splendid and complete History Book you have seen today, you will recall this sentence from the President's Message in this yearbook—"Real success is achieved by the united efforts of all."

It is remarkable that during these years when prosperity has been the exception rather than the rule among organizations, the Woman's Club has steadily advanced toward the goal of absolute ownership, free of incumbrance. During this last year, $600 has been paid on the club indebtedness, leaving only the sum of $1000 to be paid off. And in addition to this, all running expenses of the Club have been met promptly. The entire clubhouse was renovated, and one unit of the furnace replaced.

Thirty new memberships have been added to the list, bringing the total of paid-up memberships to 125, with eight absent memberships.

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Not con ent with the maintenance of the established club functions, the last year has seen several innovations in the addition of responsibilities. Perhaps the one of which we a e most proud, possibly because it has proven such a joy to all connected with the project, has been the sponsoring of the Boy Scout Troop—Troop V; and the little fellows, potential leaders of the tomorrow which perhaps it is best we cannot visualize, are very proud to belong to us. Many have been the little thoughtfulnesses p ovided for hese scouts, and they are most appreciative. The club has given the sum of $8.00 to. the Troop flag, and they are off to a flying start. The highlight of the year for them wa the turkey dinner on January 29 h at which they were hono guests.

This comes under the head of Community Service; other activities of the kind include a con ribution of $10 to the local chapter of Red Cross, which went to the flood s f-ferers. The use of the clubhouse was also donated for the President's Bi thday dinner, the money going to the Warm Springs Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Two new sections were inaugurated — the Athletic and Current Events. Arcadia is ideal for the enjoyment of the Athletic section with its bridle paths, good tenni courts, and lovely g ens and cans to empt natu e lovers.

The time for forming the Current Events section was most appro priate, when world news, both of our own and other countries, hold the public in erest. Especially pleasing was the fact that club member themselves b ought these events of current interest to the meetings and a deep thoughtfulness of world affairs and their relationships ha become apparent.

The celebration of the Tenth Annual Flower Show, sponsored by the Garden Sec ion, p oved that this event has become a red-letter day on Arcadia's calendar, and it has won a permanent place in the community. Again it seems that no place could be found more congenial to an event of his kind than this city, where the majority of citizens are extremely "garden minded."

The club has always been ve y proud of its Literature Section which s resses the cultural side of club life, and the community is invited to take advantage of the book reviews and lessons in correct English given each month.

In a community fairly teeming wi h reminders of the historic days of Calif nia, the department of California His ory and Landma k occupies an enviable place in the public interest, since it is unrestricted in its enjoyment of the very atmosphere it seeks to preserve for posterity.

Cou tesy is of paramount importance in club life, and the Reciprocity mee ings of clubs offer an important opportunity for a courteous recognition of the leaders of other clubs, and of an exchange of ideas and working methods. An outstanding event was the Reciprocity Day on March 17th, when representatives of twenty clubs and five District officers visited as guests. The program of that day was one long to be remembered, and the luncheon was the subject of much favorable comment. Twelve invitations to other Reciprocity meetings were accepted by our club. But these women were by no means the only guests ente tained through the year. The list of distinguished guests includes many prominent persons among Federa ion workers, talented artists of the community, representatives of local organizations, noted lecturers, as well as daughters of on January 20th and families of members on January 29th. Following a cus om inaugurated during Mrs. Meade's first term, a joint meeting with the Rotary Club was enjoyed on March third, the program being fu nished by the Woman's Club.

Perhaps the hardest work of any of the committees goes into the preparations for the benefits, the proceeds of which provide the means of maintaining the club in the style to which it is accustomed and of reducing the indebtedness. In the past year, benefits included two summer parties, two afternoon card parties and one evening card party at the clubhouse, six dinners, a sandwich demonstration, and the most ambi ious affair of all — the evening of cards and dancing at the Turf Club on May 21, from which around $200 was realized.

But the Chris mas party was for just the "home folks," when members met for an exchange of gifts and the singing of Christmas carols. Nor were the less fortunate forgotten, for at this meeting contributions were brought for the Civic Welfare Committee. The president and five others took these gifts to the Los Angeles County Farm.

District Depa tment chai men have given a most valuable service—that bringing to the club word of the activi ies of the different departments of Federation work. This is one of the most important elements to be considered in evaluating the success of a club yea , for we cannot live un o ourselves alone but need this contact with the larger groups who are doing even bigger things, in which we have our part.

It is an unusual fact that so many of the past presidents are actively at work—eight of the ten living past p esidents being prominently identified with club interests. These were honored at a luncheon on December second. Three charter members are still on the club roster.

It is the service of the Standing Committees, the luncheon chairmen and their committees, those who volunteer services when needed, to whom must go a large share of the credit for the smoothly-running schedule of events. The officers who have guided the destinies of the club through another year deserve unstinted praise. They carry the burden of responsibility. Harmony and real friendship has been the keynote of the year.

Programs have been diversified enough to please all, and have brought to the club much in the way of educa ional and cultural talent, real entertainment, in all ways appropriate to the time and season. Decorations also have followed the trend of the seasons, and the hand of real artists at this work have added greatly to the enjoyment of each meeting.

Two gifts of $10 each have been received, and a resolu ion has been presented and adopted whereby a building fund will be started with this money, to be added to from time to time.

It is a matter of pride that our president has been 100% in attendance at the Presidents' Councils, held at different places in the District, and at the Presidents' Conferences, held at Headquarters, at stated times throughout the year.

These, and many other special observances high-lighted a year characterized by definite progress toward complete fulfillment of the stated objectives of the Club—"Intellectual Improvement; Civic Improvement; Social Enjoyment; and Mutual Help."

And so the curtain descends on the 1931 Chapter of the History of the Woman's Club of Arcadia.

(Signed)
LULU RANDOLPH,
Historian."

MORE ABOUT—
BRIDGE DATA
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Bay Bridge at the present time comprises 107 men and women. This figure does no include the 37 members of the highway patrol and the officers detailed to the Bridge the force is under the Division of Highways rather than the Department of Public Works.

June 1, 1937

# Final Meeting To Be Luncheon

On June 9 h at 12 o'clock noon members and friends of the California History and Landmarks section of the Woman's Club will hold their final meeting at the home of chairman Mrs. E. M. Timerhoff, 321 Genoa street. A pot luck luncheon will be enjoyed, in the arbor if the weather permits, and a program will follow.

Mrs. Emmy Matt Rush, author and lecturer and an authority on California's romantic history, will be guest speaker. A large attendance is being anticipated.

# Installation Set For Tomorrow

Mrs. G. G. Meade will preside over her final meeting as president of the Arcadia Woman's Club tomorrow, when the annual installation meeting is held. She is being succeeded by Mrs. Charles W. Stewart, who served the club as president in 1934 and 1935.

When she was asked early in April to remain president for another year, Mrs. Meade graciously declined, due to the fact that outside responsibility would not permit full time service to the club.

Mrs. Oscar Elvrum, district vice-president, will act as installing officer on Wednesday.

At 11 a. m. Mrs. Alice Cross and Mrs. Ella Baughman will serve "brunch" and a business meeting will follow. Reports of all officers and chairmen for the entire year will be read and filed. Mrs. Roy V. Nye will present her Mother's Chorus Group in a musical program.

Awards to winners in the membership contest, which has been under the chairmanship of Mrs. C. F. Noack, will be made. The winner will be the clubmember who has obtained the greatest number of new members during the past year. Mrs. Ellen Donkin who was affiliated with the club a number of years ago, has returned to Arcadia and has again been made a member.

Today, Mrs. Wood Glover entertained members of the board with a luncheon and social afternoon.

THE SCOUT BUGLE

May 25, 1937.

COURT OF HONOR

The April Court of Honor was held at the First Avenue School. There was a change in the regular proceedure in that all Troops received their awards after marching up on the stage. This was more impressive than the previous informal set-up and it would be well to continue this plan in the future.

First, came the awarding of the prizes for The Plainsman Story Contest (full description of this appears elsewhere in this issue). With but one exception, all Troops received awards for advancements made by their Scouts during the past two months. This Court marked the first appearance of Troop 5 to receive Troop awards. They have made a fine start and it is hoped that they continue to receive many advancements in every Court of Honor Meeting.

After the presentation of badges to Scouts, the meeting was turned over to Scoutmaster, John Ainsworth of Troop 3. The Columbia Steel Company, the western subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation, furnished an excellent hour length sound motion picture, "Bridging San Francisco Bay".

The attendance at this meeting was the largest gathering of Arcadians for an evening of Scouting in over a year. The publicity committee wishes to thank Miss Fairley, Art Instructor at the First Avenue School, for the attractive posters announcing this Court of Honor Meeting.

*Arcadia, California, Wednesday, June 2, 1937*

# MOVIE TO BE SCREENED AT HONOR COURT

### California Redwood Association Furnishes All-Color Production For Session

### TO PRESENT EAGLE AWARD

### Clyde Covell, Troop I, To Be Honored; Tumbling Acts On Evening's Card

One of the outstanding Courts of Honor of the year is slated to be staged tomorrow night in the auditorium of the First Avenue School with a brilliant program arranged to accompany the official resognition of advancement in Scoutdom attained by Arcadia Boy Scouts.

With Wood Glover, member of the local district committee, presiding in the absence of Court of Honor chairman, Sam Hobbs, the court will be called to order at 8 o'clock.

Topping the advancement ceremonies will be the ceremony which will find Clyde Covell, Troop I, being presented with an Eagle Scout award, one of the highest ranks in Scout listing. To reach the Eagle standing, a Scout must earn 21 merit badges, some of them in specified subjects, and be accepted by the Eagle Scout Board of the Pasadena-San Gabriel Valley district.

As has been the custom on the past few Court of Honor programs, a talking motion picture will be screened during the course of the entertainment bill, the production for tomorrow night being in technicolor, according to announcements made this week.

The film, entitled "The Giant Redwood Forests of California," was secured for the Arcadia court through the California Redwood Association, and is hailed as being a truly great picture.

Troop IV is in charge of the entertainment section of the program and advance notices promise an evening of top-notch performances A semi-professional tumbling act is also scheduled with boys of the troop, who have been in earnest training along this line, participating. In addition, the so-called Troublesome Trio will render musical numbers.

The trio is composed of Bob Fulton, drums, Howard Seigal, trumpet, and Jack deMarcy, piano.

The public is cordially invited.

*ifornia, Thursday, June 3, 1937*

## Court Of Honor To Be Held At School Tonight

**Augmented by a splendid program of entertainment, the June Court of Honor session for the Boy Scout troops of the city of Arcadia will be held tonight in the auditorium of the First Avenue School.**

**Troop IV is in charge of the program this evening which includes tumbling and musical acts by the Scouts and the screening of a feature-length picture in color, "The Giant Redwoods of California."**

**Topping the advancement recognition section of the program will be the awarding of an Eagle Scout rating to Clyde Covell of Troop I.**

**Wood Glover, local district committee chairman, will preside. The public is cordially invited to the session which will be called to order at 8 p. m.**

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# BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

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THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF ARCADIA

having made proper application through its duly authorized representative to carry out the program of the Boy Scouts of America for THE FIRST YEAR OF

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is hereby granted this annual charter subject to the provisions of the Constitution and By-Laws and rules and regulations of the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America for one year.

**Troop**

# 5, ARCADIA, CALIF.

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C. J. Cassady

The above-mentioned officials, having been duly certified, are officially registered by the National Council to meet the responsibilities of their respective offices in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Boy Scouts of America.

In TESTIMONY WHEREOF the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America has caused this charter to be signed by its officers and its corporate seal to be affixed.

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Martin, Ethel Rubottom, Roy Pike, C. E. Hookway. Miss Eva Reynolds behind rosebush.

From left to right at right of porch post: Mmes. E. M. Timerhoff, Clara Morris, J. N. MacFarlane, Ella Baughman, Glen Moore, John Kaskel, Dorothy Schweisthal, George W. Schenck, Charles J. Beery, Keith Beanston, M. M. Trew, John Hostutler, Hardy Harris Elsie Murfett. Three seated: Mmes, Clarence L. Dunham, G. G. Meade, Nellie A. White.

Members of the Arcadia Woman's Club are pictured above on
he porch of the clubhouse following a recent gathering. The club-
women today were scheduled to start work on a Tribune subscription

project, the venture being enthusiastically received
ment at a last week meeting.

From left to right at left of porch post: Mme
C. C. Hoffman, A. L. Parker, Rose Yarrow, Flore

# Mrs. Glover Gives Luncheon

Mrs. Wood Glover entertained members of the Woman's Club board with a smartly appointed luncheon at her home Tuesday. A large bowl of pink sweet peas centering the table and dainty scrolls tied with green ribbon at each place, carried out the two club colors.

Inside each scroll was a "diploma" on which each officer was commended for duties faithfully performed. Mrs. Keith Beanston, second vice-president, found a special gift of money from the club inside her diploma.

A short meeting, when all final business for the year was finished, was held. Those present voted to have a "get-together" of this year's board once each year.

Present were: Mrs. G. G. Meade, Mrs. John A. Renshaw, Mrs. Keith Beanston, Mrs. Eugene Harpole, Mrs. J. Thomas Reynolds, Mrs. M. G. Millspaugh, Mrs. A. R. Chambers, Mrs. W. E. Larsh, Mrs. George Needham, Mrs. C. C. Hoffman and the hostess.

## New President

**Mrs. Charles W. Stewart, who was installed president of the Woman's Club of Arcadia by Mrs. Oscar Elvrum, district vice-president, in an impressive ceremonial at the Wednesday meeting**

# Woman's Club Has Installation Of New Officers

June 2 1937

Taking a garden as the ceremonial theme, Mrs. Oscar Elvrum, district vice-president of CFWC on Wednesday installed Mrs. Charles W. Stewart into office as new president of the Arcadia Woman's Club, along with ten other elective officers.

Following her introduction, when she was presented with a corsage by Mrs. G. G. Meade, retiring president, Mrs. Elvrum brought each officer-elect from her place facing the stage, onto the stage and gave her the oath of office. Mrs. Meade gave the new president a lovely basket of flowers from the club.

Concluding the ceremony, past presidents including Mrs. Stewart, who served the 1934-35 year, Mrs. Nellie White, Mrs. Clarence Dunham, Mrs. J. L. Byrne, Mrs. Mattie Peck and Mrs. W. G. Lewis, each with leis of pastel flowers about their shoulders, accepted Mrs. Meade back into the past presidents circle and with Mrs. Stewart officiating, placed a lei of carnations about her.

Mrs. Charles Dillingham, club hostess, escorted Mrs. Elvrum and all other officers during the meeting, and Mrs. LeRoy Anderson played the piano.

During Mrs. Stewart's former term as president, many outstanding accomplishments were noted. Membership in the club was doubled and a "ship fund" for an addition to the clubhouse was started. That fund was again taken up this year and at Wednesday's meeting, cash awards to winners in the membership contest—Mrs. Meade and Miss Eva Reynolds—were put into the fund, as well as a special gift from Mrs. Meade.

This week's session started with brunch served at 11 a. m. by Mrs. Baughman and Mrs. Cross. During the business meeting which followed, Mrs. Meade and her officers were seated on the stage, all marching in from the foyer. Sweet pea corsages, presented to the officers by the president, harmonized with their long pastel gowns. Mrs. Nellie White acting flag-bearer, carried in the flag which she had presented to the club several years ago.

Mrs. Ellen Donkin, Mrs. Harriett Lucas, and Mrs. Estell Murphy were accepted as new members. Mrs. Clara Morris, accepted at the last meeting, made the total of 33 new members for the past year. Six members who were commended for having attended each meeting were the presidnt, Mrs. J. Hall, Mrs. Banston, Mrs. Larsh, Mrs. Randolph and Mrs. Harpole.

Reports from various chairmen showed the club in excellent condition throughout. All bills incurred have been paid including a substantial amount on the building indebtedness. The reading of the historian's report by Mrs. Carl Randolph was proof of a most successful year.

Mrs. Meade was given a lovely basket of flowers from the club and the business meeting closed with recessional of officers.

Under the direction of Mrs. Roy V. Nye, the Mothers' Chorus sang three numbers, including "Where'er You Walk' by Handel; "Dedication" by Franz and "Koosheeo" by Ferris.

Guests were Mrs. Rolland McIntyre, Mrs. Estell Murphy, Mrs. Gladys Murfett, Mrs. Emma Page, Mrs. Watson Bristol and Mrs. Yarrow.

# Y AND CLUBS / / WOMEN'S ACT

## STATE CLUB CONVENTION BEGINS WORK

By IRENE CLARK

With more than 1000 women present, 363 of whom were voting delegates, California Federation of Women's Clubs swung yesterday into the sessions of its 36th annual convention at Hotel del Coronado. Mrs. W. D. James, beloved state president, presided with her usual motherly charm and keen wit, presenting the state officers and paying tribute to Mrs. Karl Thompson, president, San Diego county federation, for the fine work done in preparing for the convention. Mrs. Thomas Richards, vice president, assisted Mrs. James.

Reports were indicative of the vital work the clubwomen of the state are doing and as Mrs. James remarked, the treasurer and auditor's reports showed "that there are few organizations that handle their finances better than the women's clubs."

Thirty-eight new clubs have been added to the state federation this year, 15 of them in the Southern district, another report showed, and the general increase in membership was named as 1276.

No changes have been made in the list of candidates made public before the convention according to report of Mrs. B. F. Warmer, chairman. There is expected to be no contest save in the case of the vice-presidency, for which two candidates are named, Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson, South Pasadena, and M...

### PROMINENT IN OPENING SESSION OF BIG CONCLAVE

Officers of the California Federation of Women's clubs playing prominent part in the sessions of the state convention which opened yesterday at Hotel del Coronado were caught by the cameraman in an informal pose as they sat at the luncheon table after a busy morning. Seated, left to right, Mrs. William Waller Slayden, past president; Mrs. W. D. James, president, and Mrs. Thomas H. Richards, vice president. Standing, Mrs. Duncan Stewart Robinson, auditor and candidate for new term president, and Mrs. John Stewart, southern district president. Inset, Hamlin Garland, distinguished dean of American letters, speaker for yesterday afternoon's session. Dr. Mariana Bertola (lower) past state president.

...ng to church so we let the ...ool, 'George,' do this for us." The ...ortance of passing the Cope-...-Bloom kindergarten bill was a ...t she stressed for the training ...outh in its formative years. ...nother phase of education she ...ssed was education for democ-..."now that dictators are ram-..." and cited the importance of ...Disney bill to create an acad-... of public affairs to train young ...le to government service. ...uch interest was created and ...y later spoke from the floor as ... Samuel Caulton, state chair-... of conservation, brought up ... matter of the proposed lessen-... of the state sales tax from 3 ...½ percent, asking if the money ...

...hinges of history," Dr. Roy Smith of ...

## 150 Million in Taxes Levied on Beer in 1936

WASHINGTON, May 12 (A.P.)—The National Institute of Manufacturers & Distributors estimated today that taxes levied on the manufacture and sale of beer poured $150,000,000 into state, county and municipal cash tills in 1936.





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Starting Robert Montgomery in one of his best roles, "Night Must Fall," powerful drama concerning a ruthless young murderer, is playing at the Orpheum in conjunction with "The Hit Parade."

Rosalind Russell is cast opposite

## 'Night Must Fall' Tops Program At Orpheum

...andy ladder to get on an eye-level ...clouds at seven feet nine inches.

# State Club Group Hears Addresses By Prominent Men

By THELMA JOLLIFFE NEFF

"The prospects for ultimate world peace are not wholly illusory despite the dismal outlook in almost every part of the world except North and South America," Prof. Syud Hossain, lecturer in history and world affairs at U. S. C., told the California Federation of Women's Clubs this morning in an address titled "The Prospects for World Peace" at the opening session of the second day of the convention at Hotel del Coronado. "Given intelligence and integrity among the leaders of nations," he said, "it is not fanciful to anticipate a world of international amity and concord within the lifetime of the present generation."

"All the promises and objectives of the World war have been falsified," the speaker declared, "and never before in the world's history has there been such active preparation for war, has the stock of democracy been so low, or the aggression of powerful bullies against small nations so rampant as today.

"Yet," he continued, "the sentiment for peace is more widespread than ever before among the masses of men and women throughout the world, and it is the task of international leaders to strengthen that sentiment that it may be effectively mobilized for allaying the fears and healing the wounds of the world and to remove just causes for international hatred and ill will."

"Examination of the Conscience of the Federation" was continued in the public welfare forum led by Mrs. Harry Geballe on the text "Physical and Mental Health Put into Action for the Benefit of Other People, Spells Spiritual Health, That Completes the Trinity Which Is Life." First reading of resolutions was heard, final reading and vote to be Friday morning.

This afternoon the address on "Education for Living" by Mrs. Roberta Campbell Lawson of Tulsa, general Federation president, will draw a record crowd. The entire program and this day's sessions are dedicated to the national leader.

**GARLAND SPEAKS**

Yesterday afternoon a rare treat of reminiscences, bringing to life for the convention such famous figures as John Burroughs, William Dean Howells, Mark Twain, Rudyard Kipling, James Whitcomb Riley, Israel Zangwill, Sir James Barrie and George Bernard Shaw was brought by Hamlin Garland, contemporary of these men, dean of American letters, author, critic and member of American Academy of Arts and Letters.

Mr. Garland paid tribute to Howells and Burroughs, his friends for nearly half a century. "I know of no writers more typically American," he said, "or more loyal to the highest principles of the arts they represented for more than 80 years. Howells, poet, essayist editor, novelist and dramatist; Burroughs, poet, naturalist and writer of beautiful prose, each in his own way helped me when as a raw western youth I went to Boston to begin a hesitati and doubtful career as a writer," said. Howells had a simple di that led us to call him "Mr. Ho while Burroughs became John" to the children, Mr. G pointed out.

The speaker told of dining

# STATE CLUB LEADERS MEET IN CORONADO

This group of club dignitaries at the California Federation of Women's clubs' convention at Coronado includes, reading from the left, Mrs. William Walter Slayden, past state president; Mrs. W. D. James, incumbent president, and Mrs. E. E. Smith, state chairman of literature and responsible for the convention's speakers.

Kipling when "his hotel had a number over the door," of getting his first evening suit from Zangwill's tailor, and of Twain, to whom he bears a striking resemblance, who would carry on a monologue for hours and was "grand and oriental in his profanity." A motion picture presented a sketch of Mr. Garland's life. Mrs. Constance Harper, daughter of the distinguished author, who illustrates his books accompanied her father to Coronado.

Mrs. David A. Fraser, American home chairman, assisted by Mrs. Homer DeWitt Rose, American citizenship chairman, conducted the afternoon forum. Value of character building agencies and intelligent voting were stressed. The educational forum in the morning led by Mrs. I. H. Heilman, education chairman, discussed taxes and the proposed cut in the state budget with its possible effect on the schools.

**WOMAN ON BOARD**

A motion to wri Governor Merriam urging woman be appointed to y on the board of regents ty of California cause ath of Mrs. Joseph ied. A beautiful t en to Mrs. W. D. ent, by the six

M toastmistre uet, her r rogram. also and the Later, group at the musi- 8 p.m., rothy president will ner, women, will be om- state officers arranged by de ceremony, state chairman e A. Watson,

Good friends but rival candidates in tomorrow's election for vice president are Mrs. George A. Rigg of Oakland, left, and Mrs. Grace Y. Hudson of South Pasadena.

os Angeles Times

# Eight Hundred Delegates at Conclave

BY CRETE CAGE

CORONADO, May 12. (Special) Thirty-sixth annual State convention California Federation of Women's Clubs opening in three-day session here got off to a late start this morning. Delegates, many arriving by automobile in heavy morning fog down the crowded Coast Highway, registered late. More than 800 are enrolled and the daily attendance will be well over 1000.

No nominations from the floor were made when the nominating committee report was read by Mrs. B. F. Warmer. Interest still revolves around the opponents for State vice-president, Mmes. Grace Y. Hudson of South Pasadena and George Rigg of Oakland. Nominations may be presented at any time until Friday morning, when polls will open.

Los Angeles and San Francisco will compete as hostesses for the 1938 convention.

**CONCLAVE SLOGAN**

Slogan of the conclave, "Convention is an examination of organization conscience," found ready response by Dr. Mariana Bertola of San Francisco, a past State president, who challenged the women to greater vision. "Don't be afraid to stand up for higher principles for better motherhood, citizenship and federation. None of us will be worth our salt until we attain that vision. Never before have we needed a better world than today."

She warned against a federation that is "too top-heavy with higher-ups," and advised going "to the humblest members to learn your lessons."

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Official Headquarters
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Rooms and apartments, outside with bed and bath—Single occupancy .....
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Double occupancy .....
Corner suites consisting of parlor, bedrc and bath—One or two persons.....
Three or four persons .....
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Three or four persons .....

**HOTEL CARMEL**
Second & Broadway, Santa Mor
Single Room—double bed—with Bath
Double Room—double bed—with Bath
Double Room—twin beds—with Bath
Suites for 4 persons .....

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Pico Blvd. & Ocean Front, Santa M
Single Room—double or twin beds w Bath .....$2.00 and up
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1725 Ocean Front, Santa Monic
10 single rooms .....$3.50 to $4.0
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6 parlor suites .....$10.(

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